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AUCTIONEER.

Washington, D. C., May 25.—The president to-day appointed William D. Quimby of Michigan to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Netherlands.

TIRED OF THE N. P.

The Business Men of Halifax Sick of the Incubus.

LIVELY MEETING OF THE ROYAL SOCIETY

Report on the Bank Dividends Remaining Unpaid.

The Congress of Newspaper Men at the World's Fair—A Doctor's Big Suit for Damages—An Effort to Collect Taxes in Kentucky—Spanish Aristocracy in Chicago.

Ottawa, May 25.—Ministers Bowell and Foster are to-day at Quebec. At Halifax the business men told the tariff tinkers they were sick of the N. P.

There was a lively meeting of the Royal Society this morning. A discussion arose on a suggestion offered by Prof. Ramsay Wright of Toronto University that the society should strengthen the efforts of the Canadian Institute, Toronto, to get the British Association for the Advancement of Science to meet in Toronto in 1895. A protest was made against the Canadian Institute for its not reporting to the Royal Society. Prof. Wright said that the Canadian Institute ought not to be placed in a subordinate position as it would by reporting to the Royal. Dr. Bourinot accused the Institute of fostering the feeling of provincialism which he spoke against in his address. When the storm had swept past a resolution was adopted with a view of inducing the British Association to select Canada as its next meeting place. Dr. Dawson, Queen's printer, N. E. Dixon, librarian of the legislative assembly of Quebec, and Archbishop O'Brien were made members of the society. Henry Harrisse and Jules Clarence, of Paris, France, were made corresponding members. The English literature section finished their work to-day. Dr. Schultz, governor of Manitoba, had sent papers which were not received, but the titles were adopted and the manuscript will be put in later.

Dr. G. M. Dawson was elected president, Mr. Lemoine of Quebec vice-president, Dr. Bourinot secretary and Dr. Selwyn treasurer.

The annual report on dividends remaining unpaid and on unclaimed balances in the chartered banks of the Dominion of Canada, covering the five years prior to Dec. 31st, 1892, was issued this afternoon. The volume comprises 330 pages, the same number as last year. The book is compiled by Garland, clerk of financial statistics. In his introductory report Mr. Garland says a better system has been adopted by the banks in the compilation of their statements. The summary of unpaid balances shows that while in 1891 they amounted to $450,347, they have been reduced by $20,415, and now stand at $427,931. This reduction is looked upon as justifying the legislation of two years ago, which makes it obligatory to publish this annual blue book. It is now anxiously looked for by the public. Mr. Garland has applications for over 200 copies. The volume will be distributed to the banks to-morrow.

All About Newspapers.

Chicago, May 25.—The attendance on the various conventions now being held under the auspices of the World's Press Congress was as large as ever to-day. Besides the regular delegates, most of the members of the National Editorial Association, the delegates to the League of Press Clubs, and the Newspaper Publishers' Association were present. Many topics were discussed, including the relation of the press to civilization, the future of newspapers in country districts, the position of the press as the champion of the common people, and the availability of type-setting machines in small cities. The main section of the congress in the Hall of Columbus this afternoon was conducted by the American Newspaper Publishers' Association.

Wants $50,000 Damages.

St. Louis, May 25.—Dr. Wm. Brennan was, until a few weeks ago, a health commissioner of St. Louis. He is a Democrat and was appointed by ex-Mayor Noonan. Maywall Bridge, the recently elected Republican mayor, desired to remove Dr. Brennan and preferred charges against him. After an investigation of the charges, lasting several days, the health commissioner's head "went into the basket." Yesterday he brought suit for $50,000 damages. His petition says that the mayor acted as both prosecutor and judge in the investigation; that the charges were made in bad faith and were not proved, and that the mayor before his election had entered into a conspiracy with two prominent politicians to remove the plaintiff in case he should be elected.

Grant Wrecking Company.

New York, May 25.—Articles of incorporation of the McCavanagh Wrecking Company, have been filed in the office of the secretary of state at Trenton, N.J. The capital stock of the company is $200,000. The incorporators are John, James and Joseph Grant, of Tacoma, Wash. and J. H. Potts, of Jersey City. The company will engage in the business of raising sunken vessels by a novel method. Large rubber bags will be placed in the holds of sunken vessels by divers. The bags are to be connected by hose with air pumps on floats at the surface and the air will be pumped into them. As the bags expand, it is expected that they will drive nearly all the water from the hold and give the sunken vessel sufficient buoyancy to rise to the surface. Mr. Potts says the company's first experiment will be made on the Oregon, which is sunk off Fire Island.

The Infanta and the Duke.

Chicago, May 25.—The Infanta Eulalie will reach here to-day, and a great deal of interest is felt in society regarding her meeting with the Duke of Veragua and suite, who are also quartered at the Auditorium Hotel. Dispatches from Spain recently alleged that much feeling existed in the court regarding the almost royal honors paid to the Duke and his party, and it was also suggested that the Infanta regarded the descendant of Columbus, notwithstanding his rank, as simply an ordinary subject of the nation and decidedly outside of her own "set" so far as meeting him in society is concerned. Whether the Duke will pay his respects to the Infanta, or the latter will deign to pay her compliments to the Duke, is an interesting question in court etiquette that is likely to be solved within the next 24 hours. It is certain that the ducal party does not seem to be in the least alarmed by the fact that the representative of the royal house will soon be in such close proximity to them. The Infanta will find awaiting her several invitations to be guests of private individuals during her stay.

MIDNIGHT ROBBERY.

George Moss of Hastings Loses $300 and His Bartender.

Vancouver, May 25.—Last night $300 was stolen from the bedroom of George Black at Hastings. Bartender Denny has also disappeared and he is suspected.

Dr. Robert Wilson, late of Morden, Man., died here yesterday.

President VanHorne was expected today but has gone to Nelson and will arrive about the end of the week. As usual the board of trade will call several matters to his attention.

LOYALLY CELEBRATED.

The Black Diamond Citizens Enjoyed the 24th—Death of J. B. L. Jones.

Nanaimo, May 25.—The Queen's birthday was celebrated in this city yesterday with great enthusiasm. The programme of sports in the harbor and at the public park was faithfully carried out. The chief of provincial police fired the customary salute from the old-time cannons. The weather was lovely, and large crowds were drawn to the grounds in consequence. The Nanaimo brass band played during the day and the festivities were kept up till one o'clock this morning, and even then very few of the dancers were willing to leave. The Odd Fellows from New Westminster, and the Sons of England of Vancouver, took part in the celebration. Never, in the annals of holidays in Nanaimo, has a day been better enjoyed than yesterday.

The funeral of the late J. B. L. Jones, an overman in the Wellington mines, will take place to-morrow. The deceased was inspecting a crosscut with Mr. Sharpe, assistant manager, and was not aware that he was in danger from a shot fired in the next stall. When the shot exploded it sent a large quantity of coal through the crosscut, a piece struck Jones on the head and killed him instantly. Mr. Sharpe escaped unhurt.

HEARTILY CELEBRATED.

Queen Victoria's Birthday Honored With Unusual Fervor in England.

London, May 25.—The bells of the Episcopal churches in Windsor rang out a merry peal at 6 o'clock yesterday morning, conveying to the inhabitants the announcement that the venerable Queen of Great Britain and Ireland and Empress of India then slumbering peacefully within the precincts of the castle, had reached her 74th birthday. At the same time, by a preconcerted arrangement, the news pealed forth from the belfries of every Episcopal church in England that boasts of a chime of bells, and flags were hoisted on public and private buildings throughout the country. The ships in the harbor also were gay with bunting.

Never before has there been such a general or generous recognition of the sovereign's birthday. One month hence she will have reached the 56th anniversary of her reign, and the loyal observances of yesterday will be renewed. The public schools in town and country were closed, and the pupils, after participating in patriotic exercises, winding up in every case with the singing of God Save the Queen, indulged in May fetes and other forms of recreation.

The Queen herself spent the morning quietly at the castle. Numerous congratulations were received by wire, among the signers being the Emperor and Empress of Germany, Princess of Wales, who is now abroad, President Carnot, the Czar of Russia, and most of the American ministers to foreign countries. The foreign ministers resident in London also sent greetings. In the afternoon the Queen, accompanied by the Princess Beatrice, paid a visit to the tomb of the Prince Consort, and afterwards drove through the town. At the family birthday dinner last evening the guests included the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York, Duke and Duchess of Connaught, Prince and Princess Louis of Battenberg, the Duchess of Albany and Princess Elizabeth of Waldeck-Pyrmont. Many of the London papers contained glowing articles congratulating the country on the continued life and health of the sovereign.

QUIETLY OBSERVED.

The Royal City's Celebration—Great Northern Tactics.

New Westminster, May 25.—There was no attempt to celebrate the Queen's birthday yesterday with the exception of the firing of the royal salute at noon of 21 guns. Most of the people were out of town.

The Great Northern railway company has pulled up the track from South Westminster to Brownsville, and removed the station to Liverpool. It is believed the company will not come down from the latter place till the bridge is built.

John Pushet, who was killed at Sea Bird bluff on March 30th, was buried by the Odd Fellows here this afternoon.

J. C. Brown, M. P. P., was presented last night with a beautifully illuminated address upon retiring from the position of superintendent of the Presbyterian Sunday schools.

Victorious Revolutionists.

Granada, Nicaragua, May 25.—Additional details of the decisive battle on May 19th, near Mesaya, have been received and show that the government's losses were 155 killed and 267 wounded. This was largely due to the terrible raking fire of the revolutionary artillery, which occupied a strong position on Coyetepa hill, and was worked with scientific precision. The revolutionists outfought the government troops. The half-paid and undisciplined soldiers were in no sense a match for the well-paid and well-fed troops which have joined the revolution. Sacaza's troops were finally forced to leave the field. When the fight ended they filled three cars with their wounded soldiers and sent them back to Managua. None of the revolutionists were injured.

Bicyclist Charged With Homicide.

New York, May 25.—Edward Clauschmidt, aged 17, son of a wealthy widow living at 330 St. Nicholas avenue, was charged with homicide at Yorkville police court this morning for having caused the death of Katie McGlynn, aged 9, whom he ran over on a bicycle last night. He was turned over to the coroner. The child had just alighted from a street car with her mother, when the accident happened. Clauschmidt was coming down the avenue at full speed on his bicycle. The wheel of the machine struck the child, throwing her violently to the ground and causing concussion of the brain.

STILL ARBITRATING.

Sir Charles Russell Amuses the Court

AND IRRITATES COUNSEL CARTER

By Showing How Ridiculous Are American Claims.

No Property Right in Individual Seals, Therefore No Title to the Herds—Carter's Claim That the Seal is a Domestic Animal Demolished From an American Authority.—Seals and Fish.

Paris, May 25.—The Behring Sea tribunal of arbitration resumed its sessions to-day. Sir Charles Russell took up again the question of property in the seals. He argued that unless the United States owned individual seals it was absurd to claim property in the herd. Sir Charles proceeded to read extracts from the British stenographic report of arguments on international law by J. C. Carter, of counsel for the United States, and included in the reading the interruptions by President Baron de Courcelles, during Mr. Carter's address. Sir Charles' reading created much amusement at the expense of the Americans.

Mr. Carter was greatly irritated, and hotly urged that his own revised report in his arguments ought to be quoted instead of British reports.

Sir Charles contended that Carter in admitting that the United States had granted to Indians the right of seal catching, had "given away" the whole legal proposition. In refuting Carter's contention that the seal was a domestic animal, he quoted the statement of H. M. Elliott, who was sent in pursuance of a special act of congress to the islands in 1890 to ascertain the condition of the rookeries, to show that seals move with difficulty on shore and easily travel hundreds of miles while at sea; that the seal does not feed on vegetation and is wholly a fish-eater. Sir Charles pointed to Elliott's estimate that the herd of seal consumes six million tons of fish annually. "If," asked Sir Charles, "the seal is a domestic animal, why is it not branded, as American law requires cattle on the prairies to be branded?"

Sir Charles alluded in ironical language to the pathetic tone of the American arguments on the subject of the seals. He also argued that the doctrine of "revertendi" as establishing ownership, never applied to migratory animals, and he pointed out that the United States did nothing to promote the return of the seals, like owners of bees, swans and doves. All efforts to domesticate seals had failed.

Sir Charles argued against the United States forbidding foreigners to catch seals outside of territorial waters, and emphasized the statement that American law, even at the present day, does not make sealing outside of Behring Sea illegallegal. Forty-six American vessels were engaged in sealing in the Pacific in 1892, and 48 in 1891. The United States alone regarded pelagic sealing wrong in Behring Sea. "What is wrong in one place," exclaimed Sir Charles, "is wrong everywhere."

Sir Charles Russell's assertion that the American pleaders had cited the official reports of H. W. Elliott, recording his observations in 1873-74, caused an exciting discussion between counsel, which served to relieve an otherwise monotonous chapter of the session. J. C. Carter interposed with the assertion that counsel of the United States had avoided all reference to Elliott.

Sir Charles Russell—"That is an awkward admission, seeing that the United States congress appointed Elliott a commissioner after the controversy began."

In reply to President Baron de Courceles, Carter explained he mistrusted Elliott, because Elliott gave theories and not facts, and therefore counsel for the United States objected to being represented as citing him.

Sir Charles Russell read a telegram from the parliamentary librarian at Ottawa, conveying information touching the royal prerogative in swans asked for by the president yesterday, and discussed in Phelps' written argument that property rights in the sealing industry on the islands defining them as exclusive inside the three-mile limit on the high sea, where sealing by other nations was perfectly lawful.

Counsel suggested the possibility of malice in prosecuting pelagic sealing.

Russell said that such was not even alleged.

Sir John Thompson shut off the discussion by enquiring under which branch of the question for submission to the tribunal is the question of malice relevant.

Resuming discussion as to extra territorial protection of shore industries, Sir Charles asserted that if the claim were valid here it is equally applicable to the salmon, codfish and guana industries, and asked if the owners of guana deposits ever attempted to imprison sportsmen who shot the birds which made the deposits; or have Canadian salmon canners ever protested against others taking salmon outside the ordinary limit as prejudicial to their industry.

Russell and Phelps then had a lively discussion as to the effect of the judgment in the Sayward case. Sir John Thompson gave an interpretation acceptable to both parties, and Russell explained regarding the statutes, and the acquiescense of nations interested was necessary to their enforcement, as they could not be enforced by international law. In answer to counsel Russell showed that property in copyright was not analogous to the present claim, inasmuch as it depends on a treaty agreement and not on international law.

Mr. Phelps referred to precedent in the seizures outside territorial waters, including the case of the Caroline in 1838, which Russell showed was essentially an act of self defence by the Canadians.

Collecting Taxes in Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., May 25.—United States Marshall Blackburn with 150 deputies has gone to Mullenburg county to collect the railway tax which the county owes. He camped at Central City last night. The tax was originally $400,000 and was voted 25 years ago in aid of what is now the Newport & Mississippi Valley railway. The interest was paid regularly for a long while, and the politicians advised repudiation. Attempts at compromise have failed, and with interest the tax now amounts to nearly $1,000,000. The assessable property of the country is only $2,000,000. Marshal Burchett tried to collect the tax four years ago but failed.

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BRITISH COLONISTS.

Meeting of Representatives in the Canadian World's Fair Building.

Chicago, May 24.—The reception given in the Canadian building during the afternoon to British subjects was made the occasion by most of the speakers to denounce the annexation of the Dominion to the United States, and indulge in eulogies of the mother country, the British Empire, the glory of being a British subject and of Her Majesty the Queen. Rev. Leonard Gaetz, of the Northwest Territory, characterized the annexationists of Ontario and Quebec as "vigorous kickers," who ought to cross the border if they wanted to cease being British subjects.

George B. Cockburn, member of Parliament for Toronto; Senator Perley, of the Northwest Territory, who presided; Commissioner Fenwick, of New South Wales; and the representatives of Nova Scotia, Manitoba, Ontario, Quebec, Ceylon, India and British Guiana, denounced any attempt to cut the ties which bound the colonies to the British Empire. Many pleasantries were indulged in at the expense of Chicago and the Americans. "God Save the Queen," "The Red, White and Blue," and "Rule Britannia" were fervently sung.

Queen's birthday was celebrated in a strange way at noon to-day by the Quackuhl Indians, who have been brought from their primeval homes on Vancouver Island, British Columbia, to form part of the living exhibit in the Ethnological department of the fair. The whole band of this queer looking race boarded their big war canoe, which they brought with them, and embarked on the South pond, near where they are quartered. On reaching the grand basin the boat-load of braves stood up and howled and danced to the jingling of the tambourine in the chief's hands. Several thousand of the visitors were quickly drawn to the scene.

MORE ULSTERIA.

Belfast Tories Hold a Very Enthusiastic Meeting Against Home Rule.

Belfast, May 24.—The Conservatives of Belfast and the neighboring towns made a great demonstration to-night in Ulster hall in honor of the Marquis of Salisbury. The hall was crammed with people and the proceedings were marked by intense enthusiasm. Fully 3,000 Ulsterites, most of whom carried union jacks, took part in the meeting. Previous to the arrival of Lorod Salisbury, Capt. Alexander Clarke Kennedy, late of the Coldstream Guards, created a furore by unfurling a union jack under which, he said, the grenadiers fought at Waterloo, and under the flag, he said, the loyalists would fight at Ulster, and he and many other officers of the British army would assist them. At 7 o'clock Lord Salisbury and his wife and daughter, accompanied by the mayor of Belfast, Lord Londonderry, the Duke of Aberdeen, and other distinguished persons, drove to Ulster hall, where they met with a most enthusiastic reception. The whole audience rose and joined in a grand chorus and miniature union jacks were waved triumphantly in the air. When the enthusiasm had subsided Lord Salisbury addressed the audience on the subject of home rule. He said he must confess that he could see no advantage in delay or in a prolonged discussion of the home rule bill, which, at the present rate of progress, would not reach the house of lords before September—a very inconvenient date. Therefore, he deemed it advisable to quicken the committee stage of the bill. Nevertheless it must not be supposed that the Unionists had any idea of amending the bill with a view to making it acceptable to the country at large. On the contrary, they only desired to exhibit to the British people the real nature of the calamities it would entail if it became law. Although obstruction was of little value, time was on their side. The scheme had been brought before the country by the marvellous power of a single man. Mr. Gladstone throughout his career had passed from one view to another, always yielding principles which he had previously declared to be inviolable and sacred. All sorts of "faddists" relied upon their ability to abstract concessions from the universal yielder. (Laughter.)

No man could fight against the people, and Ulster must in the long run defeat a measure that depended upon the strength of a single man. The bill would pass through the committee stage, but the house of lords held an impregnable position, representing as it did the Loyalists of England and Ireland. Public opinion must be kept alive to the dangers of this imbecile bill. He appealed to his hearers, however, to economize their strength, and, above all, to do nothing in th way of disorder or riots. Any acts of violence would be only giving their enemies in England reason for caluminating them. The future position of Ulster must not depend upon the insane wishes of a single man, who wished to bring about a state of affairs that would reduce Ulster to the anarchy prevailing in Claire and Kerry, or the slavishness of Meath. If, through faintheartedness and superstition, or the strategy of a transient party leader, the work of three centuries should be shattered, the disgrace would be with the English people. He asked the men of Ulster to be firm and resist such a surrender, not only for their own sakes, but in order to relieve the name of England from black and irreparable disgrace.

The meeting ended with the singing of the national anthem by the audience.

OPEN ON SUNDAYS.

Decision to Keep the World's Fair Going Seven Days a Week.

Chicago, May 24.—Sunday opening has won the day. Thirty members of the National commission have gone on record in favor of Sunday opening on the rule submitted by the World's Fair directors. Twenty-seven commissioners voted against the consideration of the rule. On the final test the commission voted to substitute a minority for Sunday opening report of the judiciary committee for a majority report which favored Sunday closing. The question then came up on the modification by the directors of the rule with the same vote. Acting chairman De Young then announced that the rule had not been modified by the commission. After the debate which preceded the voting, the chairman put the motion: "Shall the rule submitted by the directors be modified?"

When the clerk handed the tally sheet up after the voting De Young said: The act of congress provides that the rules shall be submitted to the commission by the directory, and modifications, if any are made, will require a majority vote of the whole commission of fifty-five votes to be effective. The vote shows that a majority has not voted to modify, and the rule therefore stands as submitted by the directory.

The Sunday opening advocates claim that there will be no quorum if the commission is in town, and that reconsideration therefore will be impossible. The council of administration has decided to open the Fair to the public three evenings of each week—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. On each of these evenings there will be concerts and electric displays.

"The gates will be opened on Sunday unless there are orders to the contrary," said Director-General Davis to-day, when asked if he would order the Fair to be opened next Sunday. "The National Commission has failed to modify the order of the local directory, and as the matter stands the directory has ordered the Fair opened, and the commission has failed to change that order, so unless I am prohibited from doing so, the Fair will be open. I do not expect any move to keep the gates closed, but of course there may be."

Newfoundland Politics.

St. John, Nfld., May 24.—The Newfoundland Legislature was closed to-day. This is the last session of the present Parliament, a new election being called for the autumn. The governor's speech congratulating the Legislature upon the passage of many important measures, including the bill for the construction of a line through the country, also for the operation of all government railways and the promotion of higher education. The speech pronounced the railway contract to be most advantageous, and expressed the belief that the construction of the railway would fully compensate the colony for the outlay required, by the advantages offered throughout, it being destined to form an essential link in the chain of communication between the continents. The speech announced the construction of lines of roads connecting all the important centres with the railway and the opening up to cultivation of areas represented by waste lands. The governor hoped that the reenactment of the French shore bill would give time to negotiate a satisfactory statement of the question. He also stated that the sum voted would be sufficient to satisfactorily inaugurate a new fire department here. He participated in the general regret over the seal fisheries, announced the building of more lighthouses and telegraphs and hoped for an active and prosperous season of the fisheries.

BATTLE OF MESAYA.

Details of the Late Engagement in Nicaragua.

The real battle was fought on May 20th. It began with heavy cannonading at 8 in the morning. Thirteen hundred government troops attempted to fight their way out to the position held by the insurgents, who numbered a little more than 1000 and were commanded by Gen. Barranca. But they attempted what was almost impossible to accomplish. The revolutionists held so strong a position in the mountain pass that a much larger attacking force would have been required to dislodge them, even if they had not been backed by artillery, supported by their field pieces on Coyetepa hill. However, they made it so uncomfortable for the attacking army that the enemy was forced to retire with heavy loss. Two hours later the government forces had been reformed and were ordered again to the attack, and after an hour's fighting the government forces were forced to retreat. Disorganization and demoralization in the government ranks prevailed.

In Managua, it is reported, 200 government troops were about to desert and go over to the revolutionists when their plans were revealed and they were imprisoned. President Sacaza is reported to have fled to Corinto, and is ready to go on board a steamer and leave the country the moment he is convinced he cannot win. His government is in a desperate situation and has but little chance to regain what is lost.

IN MICHIGAN.

How a Number of Enraged Americans Killed a Murderer.

Corunna, Mich., May 23.—William Sullivan, a farm hand, who brutally murdered his employer, Layton Leech, and murderously assaulted the latter's wife near Durand last January, was taken from jail by an immense mob at 9:30 this evening and lynched. All day crowds of men from Durand, Holly and other surrounding towns began to assemble, until at 8 o'clock this evening more than 2000 infuriated citizens congregated around the jail with the intention of taking justice into their own hands. They secured the prisoner and strung him up, after shooting the body full of holes.

Just before he was taken from his cell Sullivan attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a knife. His cell was broken open with a sledge and a noose thrown about his neck and he was dragged through the streets. Men struggled and fought and cursed for the privilege of helping to tug at the rope which was thrown over a limb. With a sudden jerk Sullivan, who was lying motionless and apparently unconscious on the ground, was raised to a sitting posture, and then hoisted into the air. A terrible scene then followed. The body was pushed from hand to hand, and several drew pocket knives and lunged at the swinging corpse. Then they began to tear at the clothing, and in a few minutes only the shreds of his shirt remained hanging from his shoulders.

When the body was lowered to the groun, that portion of the mob which had been unable to get close enough to take a hand in the actual hanging, seized upon the rope and dragged the lifeless body through the mire. Afterwards the crowd dragged the body about the streets and around the courthouse square.

Women in Mines.

Brussels, May 24.—The International Miners' Conference to-day voted unanimously in favor of the exclusion of female labor from use in and about the mines. M. Feron, a radical member of the Belgian Chamber, will interrogate the Government on Friday next in regard to the expulsion of the French delegates Basley and Lamenden. A resolution was adopted in favor of an eight-hour working day in the mines. The supporters of the resolution represented 994,000 miners, and the opponents represented 100,000 miners.

Their Heads Cut Off.

Berlin, May 24.—Rosalie Buntrock and her lover, Fritz Erbe, who were convicted at Magdeburg, in June last, of the murder of two girls named Kasten and Klage, were executed in that city to-day. Both were beheaded. Reindeir, the headsman, had charge of the execution, and wielded the sword. The crimes, for which the woman and man suffered death, were peculiarly atrocious. The woman confessed that the Kasten girl was lured into a forest, where Erbe strangled her. He then severed the head from the body. The woman stripped the remains and then buried them. The girl Klage was lured in subsequent to the murder of the Kasten girl; the Buntrock woman murdered her, and then Erbe cut her throat.

Columbia River Salmon.

Astoria, May 24.—Yesterday 3585 fish were brought into the Astoria canneries, averaging in weight twenty-four and one-quarter pounds, the best figures reached since the beginning of the season. To-day's catch was 3710, weighing on an average twenty-three pounds and running nine fish to a boat. The catch of the whole river for the season up to to-night has been 62,753 cases, and of this total Astoria is responsible for 42,794 cases. There is every indication that the big May run that has been expected since the 15th of the month is now only a day or two off, as the fish are bunching thicker and swimming strong in the river. Several of the canners are experimenting with new enterprises, some of which will next year no doubt be engageg in, in addition to the canning of salmon. Among these are the putting up of sardines, which annually run into the Columbia in millions, and the preparation of salmon, as a table luxury.

Killed by Falling Walls.

Chicago, May 25.—With a crash that startled hundreds of people, sections of the Oriental building wall on Lasalle street fell this morning. The accident happened after a large force of men had gone to work tearing down buildings to make place for the new stock exchange. Among the broken timbers and heaps of brick five men were buried. When the victims were taken out the casualties were found to be, an unknown man killed; Frank McDonald, leg broken; Stephen Madden, head bruised and scalp wounds; Adam Linke and Alex. Taisauski, severe bruises.

POOR SEAL FISHING.

Bad Season Gives Newfoundland Industries a Setback.

The Newfoundland seal-fishery for 1893 has just ended, and has resulted most unfavorably, not for years having been so unsuccessful. The industry is prosecuted by a number of steamers specially built and equipped for that purpose, and occupies about six weeks. This year there were twenty-two steamers with about 5000 men employed.

When the ships sail from St. Johns they proceed north along the coast for about 200 miles, searching for the ice where the seals are breeding, and slaughter thousands of the young ones. This year the most unfortunate condition of things prevailed. For some two weeks before March 11, when they sailed, northwest winds had been continuous, and the seals had all been driven off the land.

Therefore, what never happened before occurred. All the steamers but one, the Eagle, missed the great body of them and had to secure cargoes as best they could from among the scattered bodies of ice floating about in all directions over the ocean. The average duration of the voyage has consequently been much greater than in ordinary years and the results almost nil.

The price of seal-oil is also very low, and even this number will not prove as remunerative as it would in other years, and a large proportion of the seals are old ones, which are also less valuable than young. The result will be a serious blow to the whole island of Newfoundland, and especially to the city of St. Johns, which is the headquarters of the industry. The ships are owned and fitted out here, and the merchants engaged in it are the chief business men of the colony. Most of them had their premises destroyed in the great fire last July, and were looking to a successful fishery to recoup them somewhat for their losses and enable them to rebuild their establishments.

The whole population is also interested in an important degree in the results of the industry, and its failure will not alone affect the capitalists, but also the artisans and laborers and the people generally. The "truck" or supply system exists at its worst in this country, and a bad seal fishery means a considerable curtailment of supplies, and a consequent deprivation of the means of prosecuting the cod fishery by a great many fishermen.

On the rebuilding of St. Johns it will exercise a prejudicial effect, and will cramp industrial development for many years. It is all the more to be regretted, as the present aspect points to great improvements and beneficial changes in the construction of the new city, which would have brought it properly in line with modern ideas. The outlook for the future is a grave one and causes much anxiety among business men, with gloomy forebodings for the future.—Boston Herald.

PERE HYACINTHE RESIGNS.

He is Now a Missionary of the Oud Katholicke Kerke.

It is announced in Paris that the little Gallican flock, whereof Hyacinthe Loyson was the sole pastor, has passed under the jurisdiction of the Oud Katholicke Kerke—the Old Cthaolic Church of the Netherlands.

This church is the spiritual descendant of the French priests who took refuge in Holland when the Jansenites were persecuted. It counts 10,000 to 12,000 communicants, an archbishop at Utrecht, and two bishops, one at Haarlem and the other at Deventer. When one of the three dies, the others appoint his successor and notify the Pope at Rome, who replies with a bull of excommunication. At the election of a Pope the Acrhbishop sends from Utrecht a delegation, which always returned under a ban of excommunication until the advent of Leo XIII., who was content with refusing the delegation.

There are forty parishes, the priests of which are Hollanders. They retain the traditions of a practical Jansenism, nurtured by a constant reading of Pascal, of Nicole, and of the great Arnauld; but their dogma is that the old Catholics of Switzerland and Germany. Their seminary at Amsterdam is also a college where profane instruction may be obtained. Its archives are valuable. The walls of its large dining room are kalsomined. Their only decoration consists of portraits of the Jansenist refugees, some of these portraits were painted by Philippe de Champaigne.

The priests are celibates; consequently Hyacinthe Loyson ceases to be a pastor. He remains a missionary, a precursor, the "primus inter pares" of the faithful in Paris, but he has no sacerdotal character or function in his church. His resignation will not surprise those who have heard of his ineffectual attempts at an understanding with the Anglican church and with the American Episcopal church. His negotiations with the Oud Katholicke Kerke were begun at the Congress of Lucerne last year. The enrollment of his congregation was effected by President Van Thil, of the Amersfoot seminary.—N.Y. Times.

Said "Boo" to a Sentry.

A story is told by the friends of a certain young New York woman whose playfulness is understood among her intimates, and is enjoyed as much as may be when it is modified by a gentlewoman's instinct within the bounds of simple fun. The young prank player was recently abroad, and while walking out in Dresden one day, the stolidity of the soldier sentinels, pacing back and forth like automata, attracted her notice. A sudden impulse seized her to test this cast-iron rigidity, and, waiting till one had passed, she slipped into his little sentry box. When he reached it on his return, marching with measured precision, she suddenly jumped out before him, crying "Boo!" in his very face. The soldier was completely upset at this unexpected performance, and actually dropped his musket and ran away, while the young woman, having thus routed a portion of the German army, walked on demurely and joined her friends. The incident, it is said, came to the ears of the Emperor himself, who expressed a wish to meet this extraordinary young woman, but Miss —— admitted that her desire did not equal his, as she was not sure in quite what light her jesting impulse would be officially regarded.—New York Times.

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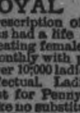

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9:14	4:05	20	SUMMIT SIDING	11:10	6:59	58
9:34	4:27	26	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	10:50	6:37	50
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9:57	4:49	34	McPHERSON'S	10:27	6:15	43
10:07	4:59	38	KOKSILAH	10:17	6:05	40
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10:22	5:12	43	SOMENOS	10:02	5:52	35
10:48	5:32	53	CHEMAINUS	9:36	5:32	26
11:00	5:49	59	OYSTER BAY SIDING	9:15	5:15	19
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And other necessary drains not specified.

AND WHEREAS the estimated cost of such works is $125,000.

AND WHEREAS for the purpose aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the city the sum of $125,000.

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $8,125 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the said debt and interest hereinafter mentioned.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the corporation of the city of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1892, was $18,749,125.

AND WHEREAS it will require an annual special rate of four-fifths of one mill in the dollar for the payment of the interest and for creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said new debt according to the Municipal Act, 1892.

AND WHEREAS it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $125,000 00 currency, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the treasurer of the said corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

Sec. 2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $125,000 00 in currency, each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1,000, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

Sec. 3. The said debentures shall be made payable in fifty years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect, at the office of the treasurer of the said corporation, in the City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signature of the Mayor and of the Clerk of the Corporation respectively to the coupons may be affixed by printed, stamped or lithographed fac simile.

Sec. 4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4 1-2 per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly at the office of the said treasurer.

Sec. 5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of four-fifths of one mill in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the city of Victoria dering the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

Sec. 6. In case of any conflict, inconsistency or repugnancy between the provisions of this by-law and any of the provisions of the Local Improvement By-law, 1892, as amended by By-law No. 178, entitled, "A By-law to amend the Local Improvement By-law, 1892," the provisions of this by-law shall prevail and override any of the provisions of such Local Improvement By-law to the extent of any such conflict, inconsistency or repugnancy, but this by-law shall not be deemed to in any wise repeal, alter or amend such Local Improvement By-law and amendment, except in so far as this by-law is concerned, and then so far only as is necessary to give full force and effect to this by-law.

Sec. 7. This by-law shall before the passage thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said corporation in a manner provided for by the Municipal Act, 1892, or any amendment thereto, and shall take effect on the first day of May, 1893.

Sec. 8. This by-law may be cited as "The Surface Drains By-law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council this 27th day of March, 1893.

Received the assent of and confirmed by the municipal electors on the 18th day of April, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted, and finally passed by the municipal council on the 19th day of April, 1893.

(Sd) ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

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NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, on the 19th day of April, A.D. 1893, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law or any part thereof quashed must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

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CANADIAN DISPATCHES.

The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

Mrs. Folger, wife of Henry Folger, of Kingston, is dead.

Edward T. Honor, a prominent Port Hope merchant, died of paralysis the other day.

The small-pox quarantine patients were released at Winnipeg and left for their destination. Several go to the coast.

Traffic Manager Olds of the Canadian Pacific railway admits that his road is to make a reduction of 10 per cent. all round in freight rates.

The Earl of Derby has signified his intention of making a parting donation of $1,000 towards the fund now being raised for the new bishopric of Ottawa.

Intelligence has been received that Hugh Sutherland, president of the Hudson Bay railway, has been successful in raising the necessary capital to build a considerable portion of the road.

The lacrosse season opened in the east on Wednesday. The Torontos beat the Cornwalls four straights and the Shamrocks beat the Capitals in four straights. These were not championship matches.

The Listowel building of the Brethouput sole leather tannery, the head offices of which are at Berlin, was destroyed by fire, together with a large quantity of leather. The loss will reach $30,000.

It has been discovered that Toronto has been making illegal investments for the past twenty years. The treasurer, it appears, has no power to invest the sinking funds in general debentures, as has been done.

A fire in Winnipeg destroyed the block occupied by the Buckle Printing Company. The loss is $14,000. Messrs. Miller & Richard, of Toronto, are the real owners of the plant. The insurance is light.

It is announced that the Calgary & Knee Hill Railway company has decided to construct their line this summer. The road is from Calgary northeast for about 50 miles to the coal mines in the Red Deer country.

The recent decision of the Montreal district Odd Fellows has caused trouble. Loyal Landsdowne lodge and Loyal Concordia lodge will go over in a body to the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, better known as the American order.

The water of the St. Lawrence is exceptionally high, and considerable alarm is felt in Montreal at the prospect of a serious flood. The water is now on a level with the wharfs, and a large number of teams are busily employed removing goods to safer quarters.

At Ottawa on Wednesday A. Bellefeuille, a workman employed in the public works department, was drowned by the upsetting of a canoe. A little girl named Delisles was choked to death by a piece of meat. A shoemaker named Langevin dropped dead at a cocking main.

The Quebec Telegraph is authority for the statement that Sir A. Caron will not return to Canada as a cabinet minister, but will be asked to exchange places with the Hon. J. A. Chapleau, whose services are badly needed at Ottawa in the present critical condition of the government.

The Empire's Montreal correspondent says that it is rumored there that the Vanderbilts and the New York Central railway are backing up the railway which is being extended to Parry Sound with the idea of securing part of the Canadian Northwest grain trade via Montreal and the Adirondack railway.

The engagement is announced of Miss Dobell, daughter of R. R. Dobell, the Quebec lumber merchant, to A. Staveley Hill, Jr. The bride is the granddaughter of Senator McPherson and niece of Lieutenant-Governor Kirkpatrick, Ontario. The groom is a son of Sir Alexander Stavely Hill, M. P. for Staffordshire, England.

In the Ontario legislature the second reading of Hon. G. W. Ross' bill to enable the electors of the province to pronounce upon the desirability of prohibiting the importation, manufacture and sale as a beverage of intoxicating liquors was carried after a protracted debate on a vote of 48 to 28. The bill provides that the question shall be submitted to the electors on the day fixed for the municipal elections in January, 1894.

Three children named Brouillet, between two and nine years of age, were burned to death in a tenement house in Gareau lane, Montreal. Their parents were filling bed ticks with straw when one of the children put a match to it, and in a few minutes the house was in flames. The mother escaped, but the three children perished. The father and a fourth child were so badly burned that they had to be taken to the hospital. The child may die.

Bowell and Angers, on their way from Ottawa to St. John, met with a remarkable incident. Three professional gamblers, who were on board the train, induced a fellow passenger to play at cards, with the result that the unsuspecting man lost $50. He was disposed to say little of the loss, but his wife, hearing of the affair, went to Mr. Bowell and related the story. Bowell saw the rascally trio and told them if they did not refund he would have them placed under arrest. The cash was handed back.

A tornado which has caused the loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars occurred in Central and Eastern Ontario on Tuesday. Church steeples were blown down, buildings of all kinds unroofed, and partially or wholly blown down and people and live stock carried bodily to a considerable distance. Considering the territory heard from the casualties are few. At Tilsonburg, by the destruction of Tilson's oatmeal mill, Henry Joyce lost his life and another man was injured by the falling of a circus tent and the consequent struggle to escape. At Orillia James Reynolds was severely injured by a falling steeple and near Napanee Frank Brooks was killed by lightning. A terriac thunder storm prevailed in Ottawa the same afternoon, doing considerable damage. The cupola of St. Jean Baptiste school was blown down. Jean Poulin, agen nine years, standing outside the walk, was killed, and her sister, aged seven years, fatally injured. One of the small towers of the Bank street church also collapsed.

At a meeting of the council of public instruction held in Montreal six months ago Senator Mason submitted the following motion: "No person shall teach in academy or model or elementary school subsidized by the government unless provided with a certificate of capacity. Everybody who shall have discontinued teaching for the period of a year must obtain a new certificate before resuming teaching. The examiners of teachers must be a clergyman approved by the bishop for the candidate's diocese. His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in council is respectfully requested to have submitted to the legislature such amendments to the school laws as he shall deem fit for the ends of the present resolution." After a long debate consideration of the question was put off until the next meeting. In the meantime it has been discussed throughout the province, and the result was awaited with interest. A meeting of the council was held lately, at which the question was again discussed. Senator Masson's motion was strongly opposed by all the bishops, and finally an amendment, which practically amounts to a negative of the motion, was carried by 12 to 8. The bishops' action is taken as indicating their intention to oppose all lay influence in educational matters.

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To further intensify alarm and danger, grippe got hold of me, and by the time I had conquered that, diabetes was pronounced a seated trouble with me. At this stage physicians said to me, "No matter what is done for you Macdonald, you cannot live three years, and you cannot attend to any business from this time forth."

Friends urged me to go abroad, but I decided to remain here and continue business.

At this time I commenced to use Paine's Celery Compound, but had little faith that it would do me any good. Soon I became persuaded that I could see a slight improvement in my condition, and this fact inspired me to continue the Compound; and from that time on my hope of recovery increased. Old friends and customers noticed my improvement from week to week, and I could gladly tell them, one and all, that Paine's Celery Compound alone was doing the work. Fancy my gratitude now to find myself in good business condition, and able to attend to all the requirements of my calling. I now sleep and rest with ease, and nervousness is entirely overcome. I have used the Compound for a little over two years, but not steadily the whole time, as I have not found it necessary to do so."

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Notice is hereby given that probate of the will of the deceased having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to or having claims against the estate are to forthwith make payment or application for payment as the case may be, to the executors at the office of S. Perry Mills, 46 Langley street, Victoria, B.C.

Dated 15th May, 1893.

C. H. DICKIE,
WILLIAM T. MARSHALL,
Executors of the Estate of Elizabeth Conway, deceased. my16-1m

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For freight or staterooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria Store street.

Nakusp & Slocan Railway Company

NOTICE.

Sealed tenders will be received up to noon on Wednesday, the 7th June next, addressed to hte undersigned, care Messrs. Wuiffsohn & Bewicke, Ltd., bankers, Vancouver, B.C., for the construction of this company's railway from Nakusp to Forks of Carpenter Creek.

Forms of tender can be obtained on application to the undersigned at the company's office, Victoria, B. C., and at the office of Messrs. Wuiffsohn & Bewicke, Ltd., Vancouver, and no tender will be considered unless made on such form.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Victoria, B.C., May 8th, 1893.
A. J. WEAVER BRIDGMAN,
my16-tu-sa-td Secretary-Treasurer.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Provisions of the Creditor's Trust Deeds Act, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that James Munroe Miller of the city of Victoria, printer, by a certain deed dated and executed by him on the 18th day of May, 1893, assigned to me, Thomas T. Hull, of the same place, accountant, all his real and personal property for the purpose of paying and satisfying rateably or proportionately, and without preference or priority, all his creditors their just debts.

The said deed was executed by me, Thomas T. Hull, on the 18th day of May, A.D. 1893. All persons having claims against the said assignor are requested to send them in on or before the 31st day of May next to me the undersigned with full particulars in writing, signed by the party claiming.

All persons indebted to the said assignor are also required to pay the amounts due by them to the assignor, to me on or before the above date.

THOMAS T. HULL.
Dated Victoria, 18th May, 1893. m18-1m

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Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going east Monday.)
For Plumper's Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Pender Island Wednesday at 7 o'clock
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
Leave New Westminster for Victoria Monday at 13 o'clock, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper's Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Pender Island Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this company leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports every Monday at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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The Company reserves the right of changing this time table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING,
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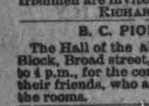

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VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A.M., B.C.R. Regular communications the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner of Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. ja18 C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

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AMUSEMENTS.

NOTICE.

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Divided as follows:

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Notice to Contractors.

Tenders are invited for the erection of certain Brick Buildings to be used as an Isolation Hospital on Mount Tolmie Road for the Corporation.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned where all tenders must be delivered not later than 12 o'clock noon on Monday, June 5th, on proper forms supplied for the purpose, and accompanied by a certified cheque to the value of 5 per cent. of the total amount of the tender, which will be returned to all unsuccessful competitors when the contract is signed.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

W. RIDGWAY WILSON, Architect.

May 22nd, 1893. my23

Notice of Removal.

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It is necessary that copy for changes of advertisements (to be sure of insertion) should be handed in on the day previous to that of their appearance.

The Daily Times.

FARMERS AND ROADS.

The Columbian waxes sarcastic over an extract from some essay in which it is suggested that good roads would help the farmers. It declares that in this province the function of the farmer is twofold. "He is, in the first place, to pay taxes, and in the second place to improve the land he owns, so that the adjoining land held by the speculator may increase in value. He can trust those who control the government to see that such occasional doles of public revenue as may be absolutely necessary to enable him to discharge these duties to society, shall be made to him, as long, at all events, as his vote goes right. What more, in the name of reason, can he look for? Is a mere farmer, who is tilling the soil, are a thousand farmers, whose work can have no other result than the building up of the country, and the making of more or less comfortable homes for themselves, are such as these to be considered in the same category with the gay and gallant promoter, whose pockets are filled with slices of the public domain, wrapped up, sandwich-fashion, in paper charters, who smokes nothing poorer than "three-for-a-half," and drinks "fizz" as a precautionary measure, lest his supply of gas should run short? An expert at the business can, by the aid of his "pull," raise more on the narrow surface of his own cheek than an ordinary farmer would harvest from a thousand acres. Manifestly, then, it is outrageous to suppose that the government which exists to make things pleasant for the important class of people above alluded to should be bothered with such petty and vulgar details as the making of roads for the accommodation of mere farmers. Besides, does not the farmer know that, if money is expended in fancy buildings and fancy drinks, and fancy—well, never mind details—does he not know that if money is expended, it will percolate through the country, and doubtless he will have his percentage of it, by and by?" If our Westminster contemporary continues to indulge in such rebellious talk it will some day incur the wrath of the Colonist, and then it will be sorry.

THE TARIFF REFORM.

The St. Thomas Times, a prominent Conservative journal of western Ontario, in a recent issue spoke very strongly in favor of tariff reform. It even went the length of urging the party to abandon the principle of "protection for protection's sake," wherein it differs very radically from Minister Foster. "There is reason to fear," it says, "that the Empire is voicing the policy of the Finance Minister and the government. If so, they cannot be convinced too soon that mere readjustment will not satisfy the country." In another part of its article the Times observes: "The Empire is toiling hard to save the manufacturers of the Dominion from the hard fate which stares them in the face, and to ward off the inevitable tariff reform which the country needs and imperatively demands. Its latest effort in this direction is to try and substitute tariff adjustment for tariff reform. It says that advocates of tariff reform deliberately deceive the people by claiming that their policy means reduction of taxation, and tries to prove this remarkable assertion by proceeding to argue that the government of the country cannot be carried on any cheaper than it is at present. The Empire is driven to such hard shifts as to be compelled to quote Sir Richard Cartwright and Edward Blake in support of its contention. It also trots out the ghost of direct taxation to help a lame cause. What the Empire refuses to understand is that the people are tired of being taked to support a few manufacturers and combines." And in conclusion. "Another point. The Empire affects to treat this demand for tariff reform as confined wholly to the opposition. This is a very great mistake. It is the mistake fallen into all along in its treatment of Mr. McCarthy and his friends. A few more such demonstrations as the one at Kingston under the presidency of Principal Grant will probably convince the Empire and the government that the call for tariff reform comes from the great body of their own friends, and that it is of no use to pooh pooh it, or to misrepresent it as coming only from the opposition."

These strong utterances of a Conservative paper ought to have weight with the ministers, but the latter are more likely to lend their ears to what the manufacturers and combines have to say.

Premier Davie can apparently count on plenty of help been given him in the acquirement of knowledge when he pays his promised visit to Kootenay. The Miner offers this suggestion:

The object of the visit so far as can be learned is for the purpose of gathering general information regarding matters in this part of the country, and to make something of a personal study as to the immediate needs of the people in the way of assistance in opening up the country.

Part of the programme will insure a series of public meetings, during which full discussion regarding the recent changes in the mining laws will be invited, and an endeavor made to get at the opinions of those most nearly interested as to the utility of those changes.

Now this would appear like the "long felt want." A great many people, chiefly, it is painful to state, practical mining men, have expressed opinions regarding these amendments in terms of playful irony. Some have even gone so far as to say that these amendments show plain croppings which would indicate that they were framed by a set of men who would not know a cross cut from a dump.

Here then is an opportunity for these scoffers to receive answers to the many questions which they have been asking each other ever since the amendments became law.

Rev. Mr. Pedley, of Vancouver, indulges in very plain speech when, from the pulpit, he denounces the Davie government. Recently he closed his sermon with the following words:

The fact is, and I express the belief of the mass of thoughtful men who have the interests of the country at heart, "this province needs a purge." Its blood needs cleansing from impurity. The whole head is sick. We need a change of men, as well as a change of policy. I have a conviction, and it grows upon me the more I know of the life and character of these men, that it is a shame for a people that love morality, that has the faintest aspirations after righteousness, that has any respect for the ordinary decencies of life, that desires to guard the purity of the home, that wishes her public men to be in any true sense the examples for her youth. It is a shame, I say, for such a people to tolerate such a government. Necessity is laid upon us to pursue these men. The whole country should join in the chase and never give it up, till they are driven to their lair, and are then politically killed.

With much discernment, the Hamilton Spectator offers the following observations: "The books of a 'green goods' swindling company, seized in the States the other day, show that this one firm has swindled people—many of them Canadians—out of $40,185 since the first of April of this year! The victims got absolutely nothing in return for their good money—not even the counterfeit money the fools thought they would get. When it is remembered that every newspaper in the country has, time and time again, exposed this swindle, one is thoroughly convinced that nothing short of personal experience can teach a fool. In this particular case it cost each fool from $140 to $650 to learn that the newspapers had been telling him the truth."

The morning paper is only a professional "loyalist," after all. When it comes to observing the Queen's birthday by suspending business and participating in the public celebration the Colonist's professions are not put into practice.

The Slave Trade in Old Italy.

The trade Italy had with the East, the vagabond life led by the merchants, and their ever-increasing wealth, caused that traffic in slaves of both sexes which lasted through two centuries, from 1300 onward. Oriental slaves, bought as live goods, generally through Genoese, Venetian, and Neapolitan brokers, were chiefly Tartars, Greeks, Turks, Dalmatians and Circassians, and do not seem to have been archtypes of beauty, the registers in which the notaries marked down, together with the name and age, the price and description of the wares, "the points" of the necks and faces of the slaves bought and sold, bear witness to this circumstance; nearly all had olive complexions, though some were found who had rosy skins and were florid and fair. The faces never seemed to lack some special and distinctive mark; some were pocked, some had moles, others were scarred; the nose was generally squat and flat, the lips thick and prominent, the eyes dull and small, the foreheads low and freckled. To these pen sketches, made by pedantic and precise lawyers, some portraits correspond that are still extant of these women. In a rare and curious book, the memoranda of Baldovinetti, in which this forbear of the famous painter used to illustrate by drawings his journalistic jottings, there are preserved for us the portraits of three slaves he bought in the years 1377, 1380, 1388:—"Dorothea, a Tartar, from Russia, eighteen years or more of age; Domenica, of white skin, from Tartary, and Veronica, sixteen years old, whom I bought almost naked from Bonarotti, son of Simon de Bonarroti"—that is to say, from an ancestor of Michael Angelo.—Blackwood's Magazine.

Starveling Colleges.

The American college of the middle of this century, like its English original, existed for the work of the church. If the college dies the church dies, was the basis of its appeal for money and influence. Its duty was to form a class of educated men in whose hands should lie the preservation of the creed. In the mouths of ignorant men the truths of the church would be clouded. Each wise church would see that its wisdom was not marred by human folly. The needs of one church indicated the needs of others. So it came about that each of the many organizations called churches in America established its colleges here and there about the country, all based on the same general plan.

And as the little towns on the rivers and prairies grew with the progress of the country into large cities, so it was thought, by some mysterious virtue of inward expansion, these little schools in time would grow to be great universities. And, in this optimistic spirit the future was forestalled and the schools were called universities from the beginning. As time went on it appeared that a university could not be made without money, and the source of money must be outside the schools. And so has ensued a long struggle between the American colleges and the wolf at the door—a tedious, belittling conflict, which has done much to lower the name and dignity of higher education.

To this educational planting without watering, repeated again and again, east and west, north and south, must be ascribed the unnaturally severe struggle for existence through which our colleges have been forced to pass, the poor work, low salaries, and humiliating economies of the American college professor, the natural end of whom, according to Dr. Holmes, "is starvation."—David Starr Jordan in Popular Science Monthly.

Parasols and Sunshades

25c., 50c., 75c., $1.00, and a perfect gem for $1.75. Lansdowne House, 86 Yates street, Jno. Partridge, proprietor.

Garden tools at McLennan & McFeely's.

Wall paper and room mouldings at Mellor's, Fort street, above Douglas. *

FEW PEOPLE SOUND.

Nearly Everybody Has Some Organ Below Normal Condition.

The autopsy performed the other day on the body of a murderer disclosed the fact that he was a very much diseased man. Judging from the statement of the physicians it seems as though nearly every vital organ, from the brain to the spleen, had something the matter with it. Reports of post-mortem examinations always seem to disclose a remarkable number of such abnormalities, even in the apparently healthy person who has been suddenly killed by an accident. "The fact is, that hardly any human being, even in the flush of youth and health, is wholly sound," said Dr. D. S. Lamb, of the Army Medical Museum, to a Washington Star reporter. "Even the sturdiest children are not so. The reason of it is that all human beings are constantly liable to injuries which are apt to be permanent. Our lungs are affected by the dust we breathe. The exposures to colds which we must encounter now and then leave their traces. Of all the people whose bodies I have dissected after death not less than one-half have exhibited indications of an attack of pleurisy some time in the past. Doubtless most of them never knew that they had suffered from the complaint. Beginning life as a squalling infant, one goes through the world meeting injury after injury through exposure, accident ond disease. These injuries leave their traces on various organs of the body. When an autopsy is performed they are apparent to the eye of the physician. However, even the vital organs may work very well, notwithstanding the existence of acquired abnormalities. Though you yourself have every appearance of being sound and healthy, you are not completely so in reality. Do you not wear eyeglasses because the shape of your eyes is no. normal? And are there not gold fillings in your teeth where they have decayed?

"As I have said, none of us is wholly sound. An autopsy would not give either you or me a clean bill of health. As we advance in life the complete integrity of our physical structure is more and more impaired. By the time we reach old age it has got to be shaky. What, then, keeps us from dying. It is a power of resistance inherent in the individual. Nobody knows where that power lies, but it exists. People of temperate and careful habits live longer than others, because they avoid injuries and exposures. We often find abnormalities in the skeletons of human beings. Occasionally a man or woman will have twenty-six ribs—thirteen on a side instead of the usual twenty-four.

"This is regarded as a reversion to a primitive type of structure, inasmuch as many monkeys have thirteen ribs on each side. The anthropoid apes have only twenty-four ribs. Of all mammals the bat has the least number of ribs. Man at his full development has the smallest number of bones among all mammals, and rodents possess the greatest number. All mammals have seven bones in the neck, with two exceptions. The sloth has nine and the sea cow eight. No matter how long the neck is it always has seven vertebrae. The giraffe has only as many bones in its neck as a man has; the difference is that they are longer."—Washinton Star.

Mr. Lowe's Divinity Examination.

Mr. Patchett Martin's "Life and Letters of Viscount Sherbrooke," contains an account of the late Lord Sherbrooke's school days. The following was Mr. Lowe's examination in divinity, as related by himself:

Examiner—Which gave the better counsel to Rehoboam, the old men or the young men?

I—The old men. It was quite right to lighten the taxation.

Examiner—Did not Solomon obtain large revenues by commence?

I—I don't think so. Princes have, as Adam Smith tells us, always been bad traders; we do not know what he exported to Ophir, but he brought back gold and silver, mere articles of luxury and monkeys and peacocks, not, I apprehend, a very profitable consignment. (A laugh.)

Examiner—Still the country is described as being very prosperous under his government, and the revenue is described as being large?

I—Yes, but then see how it was squandered; there was the Temple, the Golden Throne, and the Sea of Gold, and the lions, and the cherubim, and the Mercy Seat.

Examiner—Still that hardly bears out the opinion of the old men.

I—No, sir. There was, besides, the support of 300 wives and 700 concubines. We often see a man ruined by one wife; surely a thousand women were enough to ruin a whole country. (A general roar of laughter.)

Examiner—Thank you, sir. Your examination has been very pleasing.

The Curse of Wealth.

The tramp, for some mysterious reason, had accepted an offer to work about the place, for which he was to receive his meals, sundry old clothes, and 25 cents a day in cash. For the first two or three days he did very well, and he was paid 50 cents on account. He did not spend the money, but he began to grow listless and sad, and at the end of the week he interviewed his employer.

"You've been very kind to me, sir," he said, "and I want to thank you for what you have done."

"That's all right," was the reply. "I am glad to be able to help you."

"I know that, sir, and I appreciate it, but I shall have to give it up, sir."

"What's that for? Don't I pay you enough?"

"Oh, yes, sir; that isn't it. I have 75 cents left, sir; but I find that money doesn't bring happiness, sir, and I guess I'll resign and go back to the old ways, sir. Wealth is a curse to some people, sir, and I fancy I belong to that class. Good-bye, sir," and he shambled off down the path and struck the highway. Detroit Free Press.

Chasing a Lie.

One day a lie broke out of its enclosure and started to travel. And the man who owned the premises saw it after it had started, and was sorry he had not made the enclosure lie-tight. So he called his swiftest truth and said:—"A lie has got loose and will do much mischief if it is not stopped. I want you to go after it, and bring it back or kill it." So the swift truth started out after the lie; but the lie had one hour the start. At the end of the first day the lie was going at a great pace, The truth was a long way behind, and was getting tired. It has not yet caught up with the lie, and never will.

Millinery opening show day Tuesday. Latest novelties. Lansdowne House, 86 Yates street. *

AMERICAN NEWS NOTES.

Daily Chronicle of Events in The Great Republic.

Washington, May 25.—The Spanish princess, her husband and suite, left Washington for New York this morning on a special train on the Pennsylvania Railway. The Infanta was driven to the station from the Arlington Hotel by President Cleveland in a four-in-hand, and was escorted by four companies of cavalry. Crowds lined the whole line of route and surrounded the depot.

Chicago, Ills., May 25.—Prof. Moses G. Farmer, of Boston, the widely-known electrician, died here this morning. His name is associated with the invention of the Boston fire alarm, and several other important electrical inventions and improvements. He was for many years professor of electricity at the United States torpedo station, Newport, R.I.

New York, May 25.—Tony Beautche, aged 30, of 73 Mulberry street, shot and killed his wife, Teresa, aged 25, and severely wounded Gabriel Bertolino, in the apartments of Rosie Somerello, at 19 Cherry street, this orning. The murderer was arrested.

San Luis Potosi, Mex., May 25.—Another sensation has been created here in connection with the mysterious kidnapping, torture and murder of Antonio Rascom, a millionaire, and brother of the Mexican minister to Japan, by the arrest of Jacob Vinolobus, an attorney, and a member of the state legislature. He is charged with being an accessory to the terrible crime. The authorities are still hard at work on the celebrated case, and it is expected that other arrests will follow within the next few days, among them being prominent people of this city. Investigations show the murder was one of the worst ever perpetrated in this city.

Washington, D. C., May 25.—According to advices received at the state department Minister Stevens will sail from Honolulu for this country to-day, leaving the United States legation in charge of Consul Severance, pending the arrival of the commission of special commissioner Blount, who has been appointed Minister to the Island. Minister Stevens leaves Honolulu as much in favor of annexation as ever. His return to this country will probably be made the excuse for the commencement of a formal agitation in favor of the plans of the annexationists.

New York, May 25.—Brooklyn bridge was decorated with flags yesterday in honor of the 10th anniversary of its opening, and presented a beautiful appearance.

Albany, N. Y., May 25.—The state contributions of Idaho and Nevada for the Columbian liberty bell are expected to reach the Clinton H. Meneeley foundry in this county in a few days. They will consist largely of gold and silver from the mines of those states, and ten thousand pennies have arrived from Washington. There has been contributed also a gold clasp belonging to Gen. Stevens of Boston, who was a classmate of Gen. Robert E. Lee and Jefferson Davis. Mrs. Ellie, of Cincinnati, sends a silver spoon belonging to her mother, who was a cousin of Gen. Lee. Many relics of value are to form part of the casting of the bell.

Atlanta, Ga., May 25.—Dora Shun, a woman of bad character, recently had her thoughts turned to the evil of her ways and became convinced that to be burned was her lot. Last night she decided to settle her fate at once by smashing a lighted lamp on her head. The oil fell on her clothing and she was soon a pillar of fire. She died to-day.

San Francisco, Cal., May 25.—Once again Judge Murphy has before him the case of the actor, M. B. Curtis, charged with the murder of policeman Alexander Grant. Since the original trial the case has been up and continued many times. Application for another continuance was made to-day, but decision was held in abeyance.

Brooklyn, N. Y., May 25.—The 90th birthday of Ralph Waldo Emerson will be observed this afternoon by a large meeting of his friends at Association Hall. The programme comprises musical selections, brief addresses on the life and labor of the eminent poet and essayist, and an oration by the Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 25.—One day eight years ago, C. F. Wilson, of Lancerne county, was standing on the Pennsylvania railway track in this city. He was very deaf. A locomotive was pushing down some cars on the track, and Wilson did not hear the whistle. In another second he would have been run down by the cars. Hiram Carson, of this city, was standing near, and at the risk of his life seized Wilson and threw him out of the way of danger. Carson was struck by one of the cars, but being an experienced railway man, he caught the bumper and held himself there until the cars were stopped. Wilson was wealthy and he gave Carson $200 on the spot. He died a few days ago and willed Carson $25,000.

Sacramento, Cal., May 25.—The business portion of the town of Rocklin, in Placer county, population $15,000, was burned this morning.

Chicago, May 25.—There was a fire this morning in the stable sheds in Garfield Park, a resort being used by a band of Arabs in giving a performance somewhat similar to those of the wild west shows. The men escaped, but three camels, seven Arabian blood horses and 500 feet of sheds were burned. There was a wild scene of confusion during the fire. The Arabs were frantic and considerably hampered the work of the fire department. Men ran screaming across fields, or made vain attempts to save their property. When the animals were released from their sheds they increased the confusion. The Arabs say their loss is $40,000. A spark from one of their cigarettes is supposed to have caused the blaze.

San Francisco, May 25.—Passengers on the steamer Walla Walla for Victoria are: Mrs. Nicolson, C. Anderson and wife, Miss McLaughlin, Alice Chambers, G. J. McCraney, E. C. Hayward.

What News Is.

News is news only so long as it is unpublished. Facts are not news once they become generally known or knowable. To print to-day a collection of yesterday's facts is not to make a newspaper.

Nothing is so unceasing, so persistent, so restless as news. Nothing is more difficult to anticipate or prepare for; nothing comes more quickly or goes sooner.

It drives in like the storm-borne mist one hour, and the next hour it has vanished into history.

It hovers over dank places like a will-o'-the-wisp at midnight, and at daybreak has gone and left no trace.

It is a vapor, thin and imperceptible, except to the most delicate senses, that lasts but a moment and then resolves itself into a settled fact.

It is a cloud that scarcely obscures the sun before it has fallen in a dash of rain.—New York Sun.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The Best Blood Purifier, LANGLEY'S Sarsaparilla

HE CUT HIS THROAT.

Collector Kirk Commits Suicide While Despondent From Sickness.

A man named Kirk, employed as a collector at the Esquimalt water works, committed suicide by cutting his throat at the home of his brother, next door to the Halfway House, on the Esquimalt road, at 1 o'clock this afternoon. A keen-edged razor, which cut a deep gash in his throat, did the deadly work. Few of the particulars of the case have as yet reached the city. Kirk had been sick for several days, and probably grew despondent. He was a Scotchman, single, and 48 years of age. The body has been taken in charge by Magistrate E. Baynes Reed and Officer J. Campbell. An inquest will be held.

Farewell to the Yachts.

The last of the visiting yachtsmen will say good-bye to Victoria to-night. A start for a race to Oak Bay was made this morning by all the yachts still here, but the wind fell and a finish is very doubtful. The yachtsmen are more than pleased at their reception here, and have promised to return the favor if the opportunity offers itself. They say the celebration was the finest affair they ever took part in. Some of the yachtsmen were a little disappointed, but only at their own boats. The Hornet of Fairhaven, for instance, sailed on Tuesday with a broken centre-board and the Xora broke her gaff in the middle of the race. But all say their sport made up for disappointments.

President Van Horne.

President Van Horne, of the Canadian Pacific railway, accompanied by a large party, which includes among others, T. G. Shaughnessy, vice-president; J. C. Patterson, M. P., and secretary of state; Charles Hosmer, superintendent of the telegraph department; R. B. Angus and a number of English stockholders, will arrive in Victoria to-morrow evening. The party will arrive in Vancouver this evening at 5 o'clock by special train, and will leave there to-morrow on the Islander for Victoria.

Rifle League Match.

Arrangements have been made with the E. and N. Railway for a special train, starting from the station at 1:30 p.m., to take the rifle teams to Goldstream, where the first contest of a series of rifle league matches will take place. These will probably be five teams from the active militia and one civilian team. The ranges are 200, 400 and 500 yards, seven rounds at each, with one sighting shot, and the rifle the long Snider.

Gone to San Francisco.

Coburn Thompson left the city last evening for San Francisco, after a year's sojourn in Victoria. While here he made many acquaintances, particularly during the palmy days of the great trio composed of himself, Maimaduke Wood and Bertram Davey. One of his creditors overtook him at the boat and Thompson was shamed into paying up.

Down From Nelson.

Robert A. Renwick, manager of the Nelson Miner, is in the city for a few days on a business trip. He reports great activity in the Kootenay country. The snow is going very rapidly and at the present rate the country will soon be open. The railway extension is causing considerable activity along the proposed line and things are very prosperous generally.

Will Prepare the Information.

Th sealers of the city met to-day to make arrangements for furnishing the information desired by Captain Hughes-Hallett and asked for in his proclamation of Monday. A committee was named to take the matter in hand, and the members of it are in consultation with Collector Milne this afternoon.

"This Way to the Gorge."

The visitors from the Sound who were induced by flaming placards to take the tramway to the Craigflower road, in the expectation that they would be landed at the Gorge, were savage when they found that they had two miles to walk after leaving the cars. The unsophisticated stranger only was fooled in this way.

Visiting Musicians.

The Port Angeles band accompanied the excursion from that town and played frequently yesterday. They serenaded the Anglo-American club last evening and were invited upstairs and royally entertained. They were about town both morning and evening, playing at different points.

Buoy Missing.

It has been reported to the marine department that one of the Fraser river buoys has drifted from its position at the mouth of the river towards Buccaneer Island. The Quadra will leave in the morning and when found will bring it back to the Fraser. The Quadra will probably return on Saturday evening.

On a Month's Cruise.

The yacht Maryland, of Fairhaven, arrived in the city yesterday with a party from that city. They are out on a month's cruise and intend to visit all the points of interest on the Sound and straits. They will leave for Port Angeles in the morning.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—The Indian war and peace dances will be repeated in the Market Hall on Saturday evening at eight o'clock.

—There will be a meeting of the city council to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock, to consider the sewerage commissioners' report.

—William White has had two very fine elk heads mounted in his place of business. The elk were killed by Wm. Poole above Comox.

—J. G. Meagher of Seattle and Miss Carrie Smith of Salem were married this morning in St. Andrew's R.C. cathedral by Rev. Father Nicolaye.

—John Barton tumbled off a tramcar on Oak Bay avenue yesterday afternoon. His shoulder was bruised and he was stunned. The ambulance took him to Jubilee Hospital, where he will remain for a day or two.

—Amy, Indian, was fined $25 in the police court this morning for having a bottle of whiskey in his possession. John McCarthy gave the Indian the intoxicant. McCarthy was fined $50; in default two months' imprisonment.

—Eliza Gillespie has sworn out a warrant against William Gillespie, her husband, charging assault. The wife says that her husband came home on Monday and threw a knife at her because she took a walk with a lady friend. Gillespie has not supported his wife for several months. The case will be heard in the police court on Friday morning.

The Courts.

The appeal case of Harris vs. the Brunette Sawmill Co., which was to have come before the Divisional Court to-day, was adjourned, by consent of all parties, until after the next sitting of the Full Court.

Our Boys To-Night.

The principal entertainment for this evening will be at the Victoria theatre, where "Our Boys" is to be produced by amateurs. Those who attended the last performance are sure to be there, so well were they pleased. There will be many more with them. The play is full of fun.

Loyalty is Rewarded.

The city police locked up three drunks yesterday. They were all liberated late last night without appearing in the police court. It is an unwritten law that Queen's birthday inebriates, if not boisterous, do not appear in the police court. Their loyalty is thus rewarded. A drunkard of the day before was lectured and discharged.

A San Francisco Contractor.

Mr. Phillips, of San Francisco, a brother of Mr. J. E. Phillips of this city, is in town. He is a prominent contractor of the Bay City, and is here to tender on the contract for the new government buildings. When he left home he was under the impression that the contract was to be let for the whole building.

From the North.

The steamer Princess Louise, Capt. Roberts, returned from the north yesterday, having made the round trip in eight days. It usually takes ten or twelve days. The cannerymen have their tins all ready and are just waiting for the salmon. Mr. A. W. Vowell, superintendent of Indian affairs, made the round trip, visiting the different Indian villages on the way. S. A. Spencer and wife, of Alert Bay, and Mrs. Clifford of Port Simpson also came down.

The Foresters' Reception.

The I. O. F. held a concert, social and dance last evening in Knights of Pythias hall. The hall was well filled, all the seats being occupied. The following took part in the concert: Mrs. Starr, song; Miss Jean Armstrong, recitation, with encore; Miss Adie Macdonald, recitation, encore; Prof. Reamer, selections on the banjo; Mr. Philo, violin; Ed Mallandaine, Jr., song; Mr. Bale, song; J. H. Falconer, remarks on the origin and growth of Forestry. Those present then repaired to another room for refreshments, and afterwards there was a dance.

Special Evangelistic Services.

Rev. C. C. Marston is drawing large congregations in Emmanuel Baptist church, notwithstanding the counter-attractions of this holiday season. Last evening a numerous congregation greeted him. A short song service was held at the opening. After the reading of the first part of John, fifth chapter, he gave a practical talk on Christian work and obligations. The special things in the stereoscopticon views were pictures illustrating "The flight of the soul." Through the eye, the mind was led upward until the dawn of heaven broke upon the soul and the realm of everlasting day was entered. Meetings will be continued each evening this week.

Distinguished Seattle Visitors.

A party of representative Seattleites arrived in the city on Tuesday evening, and spent yesterday here. They were headed by Acting Mayor Leander Miller, and included City Treasurer Adolph Krug, Alderman Carle and Delegates J. S. Brace and Thomas F. Drew, City Electrician A. R. Pickney, Collector of the Port D. A. McKenzie, L. D. Ross, Fred E. Sander and Frank M. Sullivan, city editor of the Telegraph. The party were taken for a drive on Tuesday evening by Mayor Beaven and Chief Deasy, who did all in their power to entertain them. Yesterday most of the party were the guests of the Mayor on the reception barge. Most of them left for home last evening pleased with the reception given to them.

Mrs. W. J. Florence.

The return of Mrs. Florence to the stage will awaken some of the most delightful recollections of the habitual playgoer. The revival of "The Mighty Dollar" is doubtless very grateful to the old admirers of the play. It is not generally known that at the time of Mr. Florence's death he was making active preparations to return to this play, believing that he could reap larger profits in that way than by remaining with Mr. Jefferson. The costumes Mrs. Florence will wear during her present engagement were ordered in Paris at that time. It will be recalled that Mrs. Florence was in Europe at the time of Mr. Florence's death. Preparations had also been made to play this piece in France. "The Mighty Dollar" was written by J. E. Woolf, a Boston journalist, under the personal direction of Mr. Florence, and was first produced in 1872 at the old Park Theatre, New York, since burned. It was then called "The Almighty Dollar." Mrs. Florence and her own company will appear at the Victoria Theatre on Tuesday, May 30th.

Sladen's Book on Canada.

Mr. Douglas Sladen, who spent a great part of two years in wandering through Canada, and whose book of travel in Japan, the "Japs at Home," is, though only published in October, now going into a third edition of a thousand copies, in addition to the Australian and Indian editions, is preparing for Mr. Horace Cox a similar book on Canada, which will appear serially in the Queen newspaper, beginning in the issue for March 18th, and then be re-published in book form. The book will take the reader through the Dominion from Halifax to Victoria, in Mr. Sladen's witty, picturesque, original style. The Times said "that to read the 'Japs at Home' was as good as a visit to Japan." Some of the original points described will be:—(1) Nova Scotia (the home of Evangeline). (2) New Brunswick, and the United Empire Loyalists. (3) Quebec, the ancient capital. (4) Lac Eauclair, and life in the Canadian backwoods. (5) St. Anne's, P.Q., the Canadian home of Tom Moore. (6) Montreal, the principal city of Canada. (7) The Thousand Islands of the St. Lawrence; Toronto; Niagara. (8) Lake Nipissing, and camping out in Canada. (9) Negligon, and the great north shore of Lake Superior. (10) Banff, and the Rocky Mountains. (11) The Great Glacier of the Selkirks. (12) The Golden City, and Indian horse races. (13) The salmon at North Bend, and New Westminster. (14) Vancouver, the seaport of the 20th century. (15) Victoria, a bit of Old England. The book is sure to be written con amore, for Mr. Sladen has given ample evidence of his enthusiasm for Canada and Canadians.

Doctors and Clergymen.

Glasgow beef ham and Gouda cheese, at R. H. Jamieson's Red Front Store, 33 Fort street.

Razors and shaving materials of best Sheffield make at Fox's, 78 Government street. Satisfaction guaranteed.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and From the City and Province.

D. R. Ker leaves for Chicago on Monday.

H. Y. Thompson of Fairhaven is in the city.

Mayor McKenzie of Fairhaven was in the city yesterday.

A. J. H. Eckardt of Toronto left for California yesterday.

C. A. Holland and family leave in the morning for Banff.

Sam C. Mott, in advance of Sport McAllisret, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. McLellan, who fell from a car some time ago, is improving, but has not yet recovered.

Miss Montgomery and Miss Ackeney, teachers of Chehalis, Wash., are spending a few days in Victoria.

W. R. Miller, general agent of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company, of Toronto, is in the city.

John E. James, Northwestern agent of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railway, with headquarters at St. Paul, is in the city.

E. A. Hackett, assistant general agent of the Burlington route, with headquarters at Victoria, was in the city yesterday and left for Vancouver.

Joseph Wilson of the firm of W. & J. Wilson returned on Tuesday evening from a trip through Europe and the United States. He was away for over a year.

Mrs. Burrows and children of Portsmouth, England, arrived in the city last evening to meet her husband, who is an officer on H.M.S. Royal Arthur.

E. W. Edwards, R. Edwards, jr., and R. H. Holt of Liverpool, A. B. Evans of Montreal and B. Scott of Cardiff are at the Driard.

—Two law-breakers were apprehended by the police to-day. One is charged with obstructing the street and the other with drunkenness.

J. A. Strong, editor of the Fairhaven Herald, was in the city on the 23rd. He assumes the duties of collector of customs at Fairhaven on the first of July.

Chief Merritt of the Port Angeles fire department, Chief McKenzie of the Fairhaven department and Electrician Pickney of the Seattle department were in the city yesterday.

Among the guests at the Dallas are— J. Bellingham, Ireland; Prof. Gray Bowbay, Bombay; Dr. Hartigan and family, Hong Kong; D. Blain, Toronto; T. Montague Harris, England; L. O. Smith, Honolulu; Mrs. W. Smith, Honolulu; Major Cook Collis, London; Colonel Robinson, R.E., London; N. Dickson and wife, New Westminster; E. H. Monroe and wife, Fremont, Neb.; F. H. Scott and wife, Seattle, and Ed. Monroe, Seattle.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The steamer Harry Lynn left for the Sound this morning.

The steamer Island Belle left for Seattle early yesterday morning.

The collier Wellington passed up to Departure Bay on Tuesday evening.

The collier Bawnmore passed up on her way to Nanaimo yesterday at noon.

The ship Louis Walsh, coal laden for San Francisco, went to sea yesterday.

The steamship Tacoma of the Northern Pacific line is due here June 30th. She has a large cargo of tea.

The Nelson and Fort Sheppard.

Contractor Larson, of the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway, has just returned from Spokane. He was asked by a Miner reporter as to the present condition of his railroad work.

"Well, I think," said he, "that I can safely say that everything is rapidly getting into good shape. Several carloads of our long delayed supplies have arrived, for which we are duly thankful, for we can now proceed at once with construction work as fast as the right of way is cleared.

"The clearing will begin the latter end of next week, or the first of next and from that time on there will be no let up until the last spike is driven. In order to finish the work within the required length of time it will be necessary to employ some 1500 to 1800 men. Of these 600 to 800 will be at work all summer between here and the summit.

"As to the pay, the men will get $2 per day, and a charge of $5.25 per week will be made for board. There will be no difficulty in getting all the men we want. In fact, from the number of applications at the other end of the work I think they are already in the country. You see many of the men who have sub-contracts and station work have been with me elsewhere, and they have more or less of an immediate following, so that everyone will have enough men on hand to begin work as soon as they get their camps in shape.

"Personally, I have none of the work reserved for myself, but will of course exercise a general supervision over the entire line."

Out at the camp is a scene of bustle and activity on every hand. The tools and mechanical supplies have been arriving for some days and are being distributed along the line as rapidly as possible. Work shops and bunk houses are being built, and the ring of the axe sounds like a dropping fire along a skirmish line. Actual construction has been delayed during the past few days owing to the rain making it necessary to get everything under cover as soon as possible. This part of the work is about completed, and from now on Contractor McLean's first ten miles will be made to hum.—Nelson Miner.

English Weights and Measures.

"We sell," remarks an English contemporary, "pickled cod by the barrel, trawled cod at so much each, hooked cod by the score, crimped cod by the pound, shrimps by the stone, soles by the pair, Dutch smelts by the basket, and English smelts by the hundred. Butter in Ireland is sold by the cask and the firkin, in England by the pound of 16 ozs., by the roll of 24 ozs., the stone and the hundred weight, which is not 100 lbs., as in Canada and the United States, but 112 lbs. A load of straw is 1,296 lbs., of old hay 2,016 lbs., and of new hay 2,160 lbs., though it is not specified when hay becomes old. A firkin of butter is 56 lbs., a firkin of soap 64 lbs., and a firkin of raisins 112 lbs. A hogshead of beer is 54 gallons, but a hogshead of wine is 63 gallons. A pipe of Marsala is 93 gallons, of Madeira 92 gallons, of Bucellas 117 gallons, of port 103, and of Teneriffe 100 gallons. A stone weight of living man is 14 lbs., but a stone weight of a dead ox is 8 lbs., a stone cheese is 16 lbs., of glass 5 lbs., of hemp 32 lbs. A barrel of beer is 200 lbs., of butter 224 lbs., flour 196 lbs., gunpowder 100 lbs., soft soap 256 lbs., beer 36 gallons, tar 26 1-4 gallons, while a barrel of herrings is 500 fish."

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THREE NOTABLE CRIMES.

The Harris, the Borden and the Buchanan Cases.

The celebrated cases of Carlyle W. Harris, Lizzie Borden and Dr. Robert W. Buchanan have without doubt provoked more comment throughout the United States than any other criminal cases in a decade with the possible exception of the Guiteau, Almy and Maybrick trials. Harris and Buchanan have both been convicted of murder in the first degree, which entails the death penalty, and Harris was electrocuted on the 8th of May. Lizzie Borden will be placed on trial for her life at New Bedford June 5.

Carlyle W. Harris was a young medical student in New York. He secretly married Helen Potts, a girl student at the Comstock school in New York, apparently for the sole reason of accomplishing her ruin. He performed a criminal operation on the girl later and finally tired of her and poisoned her with morphine, which he gave her with quinine for malaria.

He was convicted, sentenced to die by electricity and then applied for a second trial, alleging that new evidence proving that Helen Potts was a morphine eater had been discovered. This application was refused by Recorder Smyth, who decided that Harris' new witnesses were not veracious, and that the condemned poisoner really had no evidence to offer that could not have been produced at the trial.

Governor Flower of New York state was then appealed to to pardon Harris or commute his sentence to life imprisonment. The governor seemed interested in the prisoner's claim that he could now prove that Helen Potts was a morphine eater. If this were done, it would account for the morphine found in the dead girl's stomach and throw a reasonable doubt upon Harris' guilt. Hon. George Raines of Rochester was appointed referee for the governor to hear Harris' new evidence, but on the conclusion of the enquiry the Governor refused to interfere.

One of Harris' most important witnesses was Joseph H. Lefferts, who said that when a clerk in Van Mater's drug store in Asbury Park he sold Helen Potts on several occasions a dozen one-quarter grain pills of morphine, and once he sold her an entire dram of sulphate of morphine. The reason he hadn't told this at the time of Harris' trial was because it would have injured him, as the feeling against Harris in Asbury Park was very strong. He consulted his clergyman, the Rev. Mr. Young, as to his running the risk of thus incurring obloquy, and Mr. Young advised him not to volunteer to testify.

On cross examination the witness cheerfully acknowledged that two grains of morphine would kill, and that he had sold Miss Potts an average of about six grains a day for 30 days. The witness denied that he had ever told Charles Cook that he was to get $500 from Mrs. Harris for testifying that Helen Potts took morphine. Mr. Cook has made an affidavit to that effect. Another witness swore that he would not believe Lefferts under oath.

A few days ago Dr. Robert W. Buchanan of New York was convicted of murder in the first degree. The jury found that he had administered poison to Anna B. Buchanan, his aged wife, thereby causing her death April 22, 1892. Dr. Buchanan's first wife was a Miss Hamilton of Nova Scotia. She obtained a divorce from him and returned to her home Thanksgiving day, 1889. Buchanan went to R. W. Macomber and said: "I have got a patient, a wealthy widow over in Newark, who is stuck on me. She wants to make me her heir. Will you go over and witness the will?" He took Macomber to a house at 881 Halsey street and introduced him to Mrs. Sutherland, who had made a will in Buchanan's favor. She left to him the principal part of her estate, amounting to $18,000. She and Buchanan were married the following day. Within a short time the relations of Buchanan and his wife became strained.

Early in April Buchanan engaged passage upon a steamship for Europe. Two days before the ship sailed, April 23, 1892, Mrs. Buchanan died. She had been taken sick April 21 at the breakfast table after drinking a cup of coffee. Dr. Buchanan called on two physicians of the neighborhood—Drs. B. C. McIntyre and Henry Watson. They attended Mrs. Buchanan and after her death gave a certificate that she died of cerebral hemorrhage. Within three weeks after his wife's death he married his divorced wife. Meanwhile the dead woman's relatives caused investigation to be instituted, and the body was disinterred, and morphine was found in her stomach. Buchanan was indicted and convicted and will soon be sentenced to die by electricity. Buchanan's lawyers have moved for a new trial.

The murder of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Borden at Fall River, Mass., Aug. 4, 1892, was one of the most mysterious and puzzling crimes ever committed. Between 9 and 11 o'clock in the morning and in a thickly populated portion of Fall River the aged couple were almost hacked to pieces at home with a hatchet. The only people who were about the house were Lizzie Borden, Bridget Sullivan, the servant, and John V. Morse. The last named has satisfied the Fall River authorities that he could not possibly have committed the crime.

Lizzie and Bridget were both in the house at or about the time of the murder, and as no one was seen leaving the premises by the numerous people in the neighborhood the contention of the authorities is that Bridget or Lizzie must have committed the double murder. Lizzie was Mr. Borden's youngest child, and Mrs. Borden was the girl's stepmother. The chain of circumstantial evidence was so strong against Lizzie that she was arrested, indicted and has been in Taunton jail for months awaiting trial.

The prosecution claims that Lizzie and her stepmother were bitter enemies, and that while Bridget was outside of the house washing windows Lizzie went up stairs and murdered Mrs. Borden, striking her from behind. Later Mr. Borden came in, went to sleep in the sitting room and was murdered there, according to the prosecution, by Lizzie. The accused girl, however, claims that during the morning she was in the barn for some time, and that while she was gone some one must have entered the house and murdered the aged couple. The trial in June will without doubt be a most interesting one.

PARIS OF SOUTH AMERICA.

Lima, a City Whose Whole Tone Imparts an Air of Gayety and Gladness.

Lima, six miles inland from Callao, is popularly known as the Paris of South America. According to the Cincinnati Post, its women are the most beautiful and the gayest; its men are the best educated, give more attention to the sciences and are the most extensively traveled in that continent. Its theater and opera are always of the highest water; its diamonds are of the purest order and it shares with New York the claim of being the greatest diamond mart on the western hemisphere. In architecture it is on the Moorish lines, ornamented with the Italian's taste and his pencil. In color the tone of the whole city is that of gladness itself; it is as bright as the sun without being white. It is hard to realize that you are looking on adobe walls when you are in a Lima street, yet it is so. This class of construction admits of great facility in molding, and there being no rain to speak of, is enduring. The lower stories of the houses are thus built, and when it is necessary to go higher the upper portion will be of bamboo, stuccoed with mud; then all is handsomely finished in plaster of paris, in which the country abounds. The furnishing of a Lima house belonging to one of the wealthy is generally in brighter colors than the American or the north affects. The luxury is great, the houses being splendid palaces. If the women are gay, they are also extremely dignified—they are the most intelligent of their sex in Latin American and are the most charming companions in the drawing-room, where the desire to please is stimulated by the hospitality of their tempers. Lima streets are well paved, but the sidewalks are narrow, compelling the passenger to often take to the driveway to pass the man he meets. Club life is an institution of Lima as of other civilized communities, but the Lima gentleman is fond of his home.

May be the German Chancellor.

After the defeat of the Army bill, and the dissolution of the Reichstag, Chancellor Caprivi went to Potsdam to offer his

COUNT BOTHO VON EULENBERG, WHO MAY SUCCEED CAPRIVI AS CHANCELLOR.

resignation to the Kaiser. The Kaiser has summoned Count Botho Von Eulenberg, the Prussian Premier, to Potsdam, and the chances are that he will be raised to the Chancellorship of Germany.

Value of Nickel Metal.

Nickel is a metal of more importance than it used to be, since it has been discovered that combined with steel it makes the best and hardest armor for war ships, and these southern Oregon mines should not have been allowed to pass into the hands of an English syndicate. The nickel for the armor of the battle ships now building at Philadelphia is procured from Canada under a regular contract with the navy department. It is almost the only material entering into the new war vessels which is not produced in the United States.—Boston Journal.

Afraid of Number Thirteen.

Superstition finds odd manifestations even in most civilized Europe. The authorities of Frankfort-on-the-Main have yielded to the prayers of several landlords and omitted the number 13 in renumbering several streets. The owners declare that they could not rent apartments in houses bearing that number.—New York Sun.

A Convenient Accomplishment.

Miss Hiram Daly.—Why, Bridget, I didn't know you could write!

Bridget (proudly)—Yis Mum. Me writhin' has got me monny a place. Oi wroite all av me own ricommendations.

What is Fresh in Music.

While we talk of the work of a great master as being ever fresh, we are secretly sensible of the fact that it is no longer fresh to us. After the second or third hearing no piece of music is ever the same to us again. In a great and complex work we may still for some time continue to discover the unexpected, but by the time we know it thoroughly it has become but the echo of its former self and we greet it with the faint smile with which we linger over the photographs that remind us of the holidays of past years.

With equal truth it may be said that the music of one generation does not produce quite the same effect on the next. When the prayer from Rossini's "Mose" was first performed in Naples, women fainted and men trembled. There is very little excitement to be got out of the prayer from "Mose" in the present day, and perhaps 50 years hence even the overture to "Tannhauser" will be dry and cold. But this only shows how much of musical impressiveness depends on this element of vague apprehension.

Each generation, tired of the outworn devices which furnish its predecessor with excitement, demands newer and stronger effects to stimulate its emotions. As the devices of the classicist grow pale, the listening public demands a romantic school, with new forms and strange progressions. The romantic school would, if some hearers had their way, be succeeded by a chaotic school, and in the race for new sensations all vestige of artistic form would disappear.—Macmillan's Magazine.

The petition protesting Mr. Tarte's election in L'Islet and the counter petition against Mr. Dionne, the defeated candidate, have been dismissed. The petition against Mr. Bain's election in Soulanges has been maintained.

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AMONG THE MINES.

Nelson, Kaslo, Slocan, Lardeau and Duncan Mining Notes.

(Kaslo Claim.)

The Grand Republic mine on Spring Creek is being developed in earnest. Six men have been put to work.

Twelve barber shops and 20 barbers in Kaslo. No excuse for furnishing the wind with its favorite playthings.

Si Conant has measured the ledge in the Washington mine and says it shows six feet four inches of clean galena, assaying 150 ounces to the ton.

George Hughes, the freighter, owner of the Mountain Chief mine, received a check last week for $4,981.66, the net proceeds of 36,040 pounds of ore shipped to the smelter of the United Smelting & Mining Company, near Great Falls, Montana.

Bonner's Ferry is somewhat ahead of Kaslo in one thing at least. Garret, the electric light man, has made a cash deposit of $700, guaranteeing to have the electric light plant in operation in the month of June. Work on the contract has been begun, and the poles for the wires are being cut.

An arrangement for the erection of a sampling works has been made, and in less than three months the rich mineral-bearing ores of the territory tributary to Kaslo will find a market nearer home. Money will be paid over the counter for the product of the mines, the long and weary waiting for smelter returns will be a thing of the past.

The Kaslo-Slocan wagon road is being repaired in earnest and Superintendent Steve Bailey has put 30 men to work on it. The road is in good condition as far is the south fork of the river, about six miles from town. The Kaslo Transportation company is running its stages to the South Fork, and will follow up the road as fast as it is built.

Judge Drake will hold court at Kaslo June 2nd, and will try E. E. Coy on the charge of attempted rape. Mr. Coy will be defended by Mr. C. W. McAnn, and Attorney-General Davie, premier of British Columbia, will appear for the crown. It is usual for the attorney-general to appear in important cases in outlying districts, as the Kootenay lake region.

(Kaslo Examiner.)

Kellog & Mulvaney have opened a bath house and laundry in Lardeau in a tent preliminary to building.

The steamer Ainsworth arrives regularly at Lardeau three times a week, loaded to the guards with passengers and freight.

George Kane has sold his mineral springs claim, Kaslo, to Messrs. Humphrey and Scott. The price paid was $2,000, terms cash.

A four-foot vein of galena was discovered about five miles from Lardeau last week. Jim Clarke of Kaslo is one of the lucky owners.

The new strike on the Highland is even better than first reported, there being four feet of solid, clean, high-grade ore. The mine is owned by Mr. Stevenson and is tributary to Ainsworth.

Work on the big tunnel near Ainsworth has been resumed. This great improvement will tap a number of mines and enable them to be worked in the most systematic manner possible, all of which will be tributary to Ainsworth.

William Springer came up from Trail creek Sunday bringing good reports from that camp, which is very rich in gold and copper. Mr. Springer says when the boys of the O. K. mine want any money they just pound out the gold in chunks with a hand mortar.

Although only the lower foot-hills are clear of snow, many new strikes are being made. One of the latter was by Charles Elwood, who was prospecting for himself and Dr. Baker of Bonner's Ferry. The discovery is about 10 miles north from Kaslo and about 1,200 feet up on the mountain side. The ledge is 33 inches wide. The ore consists of bromide of silver and gray copper, and assays 2,000 ounces per ton. The mine is directly tributary to Kaslo.

From parties recently down from the jam on the Duncan river we learn that stream has become a raging torrent, and that many prospectors in attempting to ascend the river have had their boats swamped, losing their entire outfit and narrowly escaping with their lives. One man, who evidently don't believe in patronizing banks, had $150 in money in his blankets and lost money, grub, blankets and all. As nothing but death will stop the intrepid prospector in his search for wealth, we fear we may have to chronicle the death of some before the high water subsides.

Chief Justice Sir Matthew Begbie has decided to come to West Kootenay and preside over the assizes at Nelson the 28th and Kaslo June 2nd. This will be the first time our chief justice will have honored our city by his presence. The writer first met Justice Begbie 18 years ago 1,000 miles north from here in that part of the Dominion known as Cassiar. Justice Begbie is known everywhere as a very clear-minded, honorable justice, in fact a magistrate in the full sense of the term—one before whom no innocent person need dread to appear, but whom the guilty ones may well fear. We understand the attorney-general will accompany the chief justice. It portends much good to our camp for the high officials to think enough of the country to favor us with a visit, and our people should improve the opportunity to make known to them our many needs. This should be done in a straightforward, earnest, intelligent manner.

(The Miner.)

The snow is rapidly disappearing from the foothills and prospecting parties are being made up and are leaving town almost every day bound for the upper country.

The grading on the railroad is near finished up to the Pend d'Orielle river, and track laying is being pushed in order to land steel for the bridge as soon as possible.

Two strikes of rich free milling gold ore were reported from a point about 25 miles above Duncan. The samples brought down were quite full of specks and flakes of gold.

With regard to railroad construction those who have been over the country thoroughly seem to be of the opinion that the natural advantages of a route out by way of Nakusp are much greater than by the other way, and that when the Nakusp road is built it will secure the bulk of the traffic.

The Vancouver and Mountain Boomer claims are reported to be in good condition, as is the Mountain Chief, some two and a half miles from New Denver. The same may be said of a number of claims in this city, many of which are awaiting the opening of the season in order to resume work.

Trail creek will be one of the busy camps this summer. N. P. Anderson is now on his way in to that place from Spokane with men, teams and supplies to carry out his contract for development work on the Le Roi, Josie and War Eagle claims. The work must be completed by Sept. 1st, and about 50 men will be worked all summer to finish in time. If the results of the developments are favorable the pyritic smelter is a sure thing.

WHITE INDIANS.

A Tribe Known to Exist on the Banks of the Amazon.

There exists in the Aix seminary, in the French department of Bouches-du-Rhone, a Latin manuscript containing a description and itinerary of an ancient journey performed by Jesuit missionaries from the River Orinocco to the River Plate, through South America. Father Nicolino, a Brazilian, while studying at Aix, found in the document referred to the description of vast plains to the south of the Tumuk-Humak range, and of British, Dutch and French Guiana in the Amazon valley.

In this manuscript a tribe of white Indians is spoken of, which was also found there by M. Coudreau in 1885. Guided by the Aix manuscript, Father Nicolino started on Nov. 20th from the lower Trombetas or Orixmina, the affluent of the Amazon above Obidos, got a view of the plains at the base of the Tamuk-Hamuk on Jan. 25th, 1877, but did not find any Indian village, and had to turn back for the lack of provisions.

He tried to return the following October, traversing forests, but was again obliged to retrace his steps. In 1882, while engaged in a third expedition, Father Nicolino died of yellow fever. The river Trombetas beyond the confluence of the Kuminyan is very little known. Within the last twenty years some five or six expeditions, besides those we have mentioned, set out from Obidos to explore it, but never returned. The River Trombetas appears to be formed by the confluence of two considerable systems, one to the northwest, the other to the northeast.

The higher system, that to the northwest, was explored in 1885 by M. Henri A. Coudreau, starting from the Rio Branco (confluent to the Rio Negro). The furthest branch is, in this direction, the Kurukuri. An affluent almost parallel with the Kurukuri, the Apiul, connects the Trombetas, and therefore the Amazon valley, with the Essequibo, which runs northward, and, as is well known, discharges near Demarara, as in like manner the Rio Negro, the next largest affluent to the Amazon, communicates farther west with the Orinoco by means of the Casiquiare.

In 1890 a vast overflow of the Amazon devastated the plains whereon the cattle of the Obidos district were reared. The government of the Brazilian province of Para thought at that time to rediscover the means of communication with the plains found in ancient times by the Jesuits, and it despatched an expedition under Engineer Gonsalves Tocantins. On Oct. 6th, 1890, the expedition set out from Obidos to reach the mouth of the River Trombetas, ascended the river as far as the mouth of Kuminyan (the Portuguese, Spanish and Brazilian orthography is Cimina, Cuminhan and Cumina).

The first section of the Kuminyan is of almost impossible navigation on account of the rocks and waterfalls, whereon the expedition's canoes were broken up. They then journeyed through the forest until able to construct a canoe from the bark of the Tapari tree. In this they travelled by way of the Urukuriana (an affluent of the left margin of the Kuminyan) for a period of ten days. The banks of that river were covered with dense forests, and colossal trees which had fallen across the stream had frequently to be cut away with hatchets to enable the expedition to advance.

As the fever began to assert itself the expedition returned as far as the Kuminyan, which it continued to ascend. Then it was that, on the left bank, they saw an Indian village, the inhabitants of which fled as they approached. When they returned the gifts had been secured, but the Indians continued hidden. In the village there were tools, evidently obtained from the Dutch colony of Surinam to the north.

On Nov. 18th the expedition at length arrived at the sought-for plains. Adjoining the Kuminyan, and rising 1,000 feet above it was a hill, from the summit of which could be seen grassy plains, free of forest for a great expanse. To the north of the Tumus-Humak range was seen to stretch east and west. To the south the forest extended as far as the Amazon, and eastward the plains seemed boundless.

Senor Tocantins judges them to stretch as far as the rivers Aporuna, Arapuari, Auspa and Oyapok—that is, as far as the slope whence rivers flow direct to the Atlantic. Westward, also, the confines could not be discerned, and Senor Tocantins believes the plains to stretch beyond the Rio Branco. On these highlands several treeless but grassy hills rise. The entire plateau is watered by numerous streams.

At this point the Kuminyan is 820 feet wide and is perfectly navigable, being intercepted by no waterfalls. At the period of Senor Gonsalves Tocantin's journey northerly winds were prevalent, the climate way temperate, and, to all appearance, salubrious. The plains appeared to be suitable for the rearing of enormous herds of cattle.—Journal Geographique.

At the London Zoo.

In the early morning hours, when their "sitting rooms" have been duly swept and strewn with fresh sawdust, and their toilet, which is always completed in their sleeping chambers, is finished, the iron doors are opened and the owners of the different cages come leisurely out to greet the day, each in its humor as the night's sleep or the natural temper dictates. On the last occasion on which the writer waited on the tiger's levee it was evident that some disagreement had markd the morning hours. The tigress from Hyderabad came out with a rush and greeted the world with a most forbidding growl. She then stood erect, like a disturbed cat, and after examining every corner of the cage summoned her mate with a discontented roar. The tiger then stalked out and endeavored to soothe his partner with some commonplace caress, which apparently soothed her ruffled nerves, for after sharpening her claws upon the floor she lay down, and, rolling over on her back, with paws folded on her breast and mouth half open, went most contentedly to sleep. The pair of tiger cubs in the next cage were still sleeping the long sleep of youth, one making a pillow of the other's shoulder. Tigers, it may be observed, do not sleep like cats, but resemble in all their attitudes of repose the luxurious languor of some petted house dog, constantly rolling over on their backs and sticking up their paws, with heads upon one side and eyes half opened.—Spectator.

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The Land of Ophir.

Mr. Cecil Rhodes, Premier of Cape Colony, firmly believes that in the Lymbabyne ruins in South Africa lies the land of Ophir, the real King Solomon's mines. He says:—"There are shafts sunk there ages ago, with crucibles for working the gold, which no rude, uneducated natives could ever have constructed. The place is of prehistoric date, and, from the traces of the kind of worship carried on, as also from the specimens of glass found on the spot, we gather clearly that the city must have been built by the Phoenicians. Undoubtedly it is the Ophir of King Solomon."

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Is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners sitting as a licensing court, at its next sitting, for a renewal of my license to sell beer, porter and wines with meals and not otherwise at the "Balmoral Restaurant" situate on the east side of Douglas street (between View and Fort streets) in the city of Victoria.

Dated the 13th day of May, 1893.
m13 FREDERICK WILLIAM GARLAND.

TENDERS

Tenders will be received up to noon of 31st inst. for the purchase of 56 acres of first-class farming land at Cadboro Bay. There is a new ten-roomed house, barns, out-houses, etc., on the premises, which is part of the estate of the late Ira Wilson. This is one of the most desirable situations for a first-class country hotel, and being situated near the beach would make an unrivalled summer resort. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further particulars apply to
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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria B.C., March 30, 1893.

Municipal.

TAX ON DOGS.

Owners of Dogs are requested to take notice that the tax for the year 1893 on every dog within the City of Victoria is now due. The Provision of the Pound By-Law and the Revenue By-Law, 1889, will be enforced with respect to any such tax remaining unpaid from this date.

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To the Board of Licensing Commissioners

I, the undersigned Carlo Bossi, of the Osborne House, Pandora street, in the city of Victoria, hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of June next, for a license to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors by retail in a certain building containing 35 rooms, which said building is known as "The Osborne House," and is situate and built on Lot 149 in the city of Victoria at the corner of Pandora and Blanchard streets in the said city of Victoria.

Dated the 11th day of May, A.D. 1893.
my11-td CARLO BOSSI.

NOTICE

IS hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria for a renewal of the license held by me to sell wine, beer and spirituous liquors in the Hotel Victoria, corner Government and Johnson streets, Victoria, B.C.

P. T. PATTON.
Victoria, 10th May, 1893. td

NOTICE.

IS hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next sitting to be held in June, 1893, for a renewal of the license granted to me to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented liquors in the premises known as the "Jaflon Hotel," situated on Store street, Victoria, B.C.

Dated May 10th, 1893.
JOHN TURNER, Applicant.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the city of Victoria at its next sitting, June 14th, 1893, for a renewal of my license to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors by retail in the building known as "Duck's Building," situate on the west side of Broad street, between Johnson and Yates streets, in the city of Victoria.

Dated May 8th, 1893.
my8-td M. C. BROWN.

Notice of Application for Transfer of Retail Liquor License.

Notice s hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners in the city of Victoria, on the second Wednesday in June next, application will be made to the Board that the retail liquor license issued under sub-section 3 of section 204 of the Municipal Act, 1892, to Angus & Gordon, on the 18th day of February, 1893, may be transferred to Robert Erskine and Edmund James Wall, and that the temporary permission for the transfer of the said license, granted on the 22nd day of April, 1893, by the Mayor, under authority of section 221 of the said act, may be ratified and extended. The premises in respect of which the license is held and the transfer sought are at the northwest corner of Government and Fort streets. Dated this 10th day of May, A.D. 1893.

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The Queen's birthday has come and gone and another celebration has been added to the numerous fetes that have welcomed the return of the natal day of Queen Victoria. The city excelled itself in the celebrations of Tuesday and Wednesday. The citizens turned out en masse, business was suspended, and thousands of visitors joined in the general jubilation. The weather was all that could be desired. The regatta at the gorge was very largely attended. The cricket and lacrosse matches in the morning at Beacon Hill were also well patronized and large throngs gathered around James' Bay bridge to see the illumination and witness the procession of hundreds of small craft, decorated and illuminated, as they glided over the still waters around the larger boats.

THE LACROSSE MATCH.

Victoria Defeats Westminister in an Interesting Game.

The Victoria lacrosse team played lacrosse in earnest on Tuesday afternoon, and thereby pleased a majority of the 4000 visitors at the Caledonia grounds. The grounds were crowded; all the seats on the grand stand being occupied. Among the prominent spectators were Lieut.-Governor Dewdney, Mrs. Dewdney, Mayor Beaven, Mrs. Beaven, Bishop Perrin, Miss Perrin, Archdeacon Scriven, Mrs. Scriven, James Dunsmuir and party.

The first game was the only interesting one of the match; it lasted 23 minutes longer than any of the others. From the start Victoria had the best of the contest, and time after time they shot on goal without success. It was not the fault of the Victoria home that they did not win the game, as they played a good game. P. Peele, the Westminster goal keeper, however, was cool, and stopped the many shots that were fired at the goal. During the course of the game Toby Allan, of the Westminster defense, was struck on the neck and retired. Patterson, who had been playing very finely, went off to make the teams even. Several brilliant displays were made by Victoria's new player, Harry Morton, who seemed to be always just where he was needed and assisted materially in keeping the ball towards the Westminster flags. Finally the ball reached the neighborhood of the Victoria flags, and although the Victoria defense played well and struggled hard, Oddy, of Westminster, sent the ball between the flags; time, 23 minutes.

The second game was short. Blight secured the rubber after the face off, passed it to Morton, who sent it towards Westminster flags. It was passed to Eckardt, who was standing immediately in front of the Westminster goal-keeper, and he passed it through. This was one of the prettiest passages of the game. Time 5 minutes.

The Victorians after this had it all their own way, and scored three times in succession, in 30 seconds, 2 and 1 1-2 minutes respectively.

Westminster played a very good game, but they were no match for Victoria. Of the Victoria team all that can be said is that every man played well. Frank Cullin and David Patterson, the junior members of the team, could not be distinguished from seniors, although Cullin was a little nervous.

The Victoria captain was W. G. Mackenzie; Westminster's A. B. Mackenzie.

The James Bays were entirely outclassed. New Westminster brought down a team of men, many of them old enough to be fathers of the children against whom they played. Most of them were over 20, and several of them nearer 30, while the James Bays were composed of boys all under 20; many nearer 16. The Westminster's won four games consecutively, but not without some hard work, as many of the boys played well and were not afraid of their big opponents.

Aquatic Events.

The aquatic sports at the Gorge yesterday were attended by large numbers. The E. & N Railway, the electric cars and the numerous carry alls did a good business. The events and winners were:

Single scull championship—Open to all amateurs: 20 feet and under; course, round the island and return. Prize, Crane, McGregor & Boggs' cup. First, Robert Johnson; second, William Scott; third, Albert Henderson. Time, 13:29 1-2.

The Westminster Rowing Club protested against Johnson, saying that he was a professional. The race was run subject to protest.

Indian war canoe race—30 feet canoes; course, around island and return. First prize, $3 per paddle; second, $1.50 per paddle. First, Kuper Island; second, Cowichans; third, Panalahutz. Time, 12:45.

Peterborough canoe tandem race—One mile; course from Deadman's Island to barge. Prize, pipe and fishing rod; second, clock and flask. First, F. C. Bloomfield and C. C. Hodge, Westminster; second, Max Heap and H. T. Macaulay, Victoria; third, A. S. Gore and Foster Macgurn, Victoria.

Four-oared amateur race—best and best outrigged lapstreak; open to all junior amateurs; course, straightaway from Point Ellice bridge to barge; one mile. Prize, silver flagon and four silver medals. First, J. W. Hutcheson, stroke, J. W. Wilson, C. E. Bailey and J. Aden (bow). J. B. A. A.; second, W. Beaven (stroke), W. E. Fisher G. L. Sankey and W. H. Langley (bow), J. B. A. A.

Hutcheson's crew finished six lengths ahead.

Naval cutters' race—Ten oars; course, round island and return. First prize, $4; second, $2. First, Champion crew; second, Nymphe crew. Time, 16:49.

Junior single scull—Open; course, straightaway from Point Ellice bridge to barge. Prize, gold medal. First, E. Mallandaine; second, H. B. Haines.

For this race Ed. Mallandaine, Jr., and H. B. Haines, of the J. B. A. A., were entered, but during the day some mainland oarsmen were anxious to enter and it was decided to allow them in. The contestants were Ed. Mallandaine, Jr., Victoria; — Jordan, Burrard Inlet R. C., Vancouver; — Russell, B. I. R. C., Vancouver; — Blackburn, of the New Westminster R. C., Haines deciding not to enter. It was a tight and fast race for the first half mile, but after that Mallandaine had the lead and won easily. Course, one and three-quarter miles straight away from Point Ellice to barge.

Peterborough canoe race—Single blade; course, straightaway half mile from Echo Point to barge. First prize, tennis racket and one dozen balls; second, canoe cushions. First, F. C. Bloomfield, Westminster; second, H. C. Macauley, Victoria.

Indian war canoe races—40 foot canoes, course, round island and return. First prize, $5 per paddle; second, $2 per paddle.

First race. First, Panalahutz canoe; second, Cowichans. Time, 15:20

Second race. First, Saanich; second, Cowichans. Time, 13:41 1-2.

Navy race—Single banked boats; course, round Island and return; time allowance. First prize, $4. First, Garnet galley. Time, 16:33.

Klootchmen's race—3 canoes; course, 1 mile with turn. First prize, $20; second, $10. First, Esquimalts; second, Cowlehans.

James Bay four-oared—Lapstreak; course, straightaway from Point Ellice bridge to barge. Prize, four silver medals. Entries—W. Beaven (stroke), W. E. Fisher, G. L. Sankey W. H. Langley. J. H. Austin (stroke), G. E. Jorgenson, B. Wilson, R. W. Clarke.

Austin's crew won easily.

Senior four-oared—Open to all amateur clubs on the Pacific coast; course, straightaway from Point Ellice bridge to the barge. Prizes, silver cup and four gold medals. Entries—J. B. A. A.; (a) G. Askew (stroke), F. A. Jackson, Wm. Scott, F. S. Widdowson. (b) J. B. A. A.; J. W. Hutcheson (stroke), J. W. Wilson, C. E. Bailey, J. Aden (bow).

Hutcheson fell overboard owing to a passing skiff fouling his oar and his crew dropped out of the race.

Peterborough canoe upset race—course, from Curtis' Point to barge, one-fifth of a mile. First prize, opera glasses; second, flask; third, cigar case. First, J. Kurtz; second, J. P. Hibben; third, C. M. Page.

Copper punt race—Prize, $10. For best decorated punt, $20. First, Garnet. Best decorations, Champion.

All-comers' naval race—Any number of boats; any number of oars; course round island and return. First prize, $35; second, $15; third, $5. First, Garnet No. 1; second, Garnet No. 2; third, Champion No. 1.

The amateur swimming race was won by Fred Payne of the Champion. Professional swimming, Sca-nea-wa. Greasy pole, John Baker.

At the reception barge Mayor Beaven and his assistants received nearly 500 visitors during the day. His Honor Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney and party, Premier Davie and party, Senator McDonald and party, Captain Hughes-Hallett, Col. E. G. Prior and all the visiting yachtsmen called and paid their respects.

Boxing.

There was a large attendance last night at the American hotel to see the match for the four silver watches offered by the proprietors. P. Burke was master-of-ceremonies, F. Riley referee, and William Smith, the Australian pugilist, time-keeper. H. Kelly and J. Hill, featherweights, boxed first and sparred the four rounds through. Hill had the best of it and was declared the winner. G. Slade of C Battery and J. Gurney of H. M. S. Champion, middleweights, came next. The Jack tar admitted that the landsman was a better man than he after the first round. W. Hays of H. M. S. Garnet and J. Kearney, lightweights, were in the third contest and gave the finest exhibition of the evening. They were very clever. Kearney gave up the fight in the third round. T. Rowan and H. Coulstock, lightweights, were in the fourth match, and boxed four rounds, Rowan getting the decision. J. Bliss and Herbert May of H. M. S. Garnet, heavyweights, appeared next. May is really a middleweight but entered as a heavyweight and beat his opponent in three rounds. Hill and Rowan, the lightweights, each having won a fight in the featherweight class, came together for the championship. It was a stubborn contest and Rowan won in two rounds. The watch in his class was given to him, W. Hays, lightweight, G. Slade, middleweight, and Herbert May, heavyweight, getting the others. The contests were well managed. The entertainment was varied by some excellent singing by sailors from the fleet. Signalman P. Hogan of H. M. S. Nymphe was particularly good.

The Illumination.

The illumination of the harbor was one of the prettiest displays of the celebration. Lines of Chinese lanterns were strung across the James Bay and railroad bridges, while the boat houses, yachts in the harbor, and government grounds were decorated with hundreds of lanterns. The Victoria band, stationed on the porch of the education building, in the government grounds, played during the evening. The climax of the show came when the procession of boats, all very gaily bedecked, came down the harbor, headed by Commodore McTavish's launch, the Rita. The procession went twice around the yachts.

Mainland Cricketers Win.

The cricket match between the mainland and island cricketers from the banks was a single-innings game. The mainland banks won. Score 50 to 36.

The Bicycle Parade.

The parade of the bicyclists yesterday was an interesting event of the celebration. The "wheels" were artistically decorated. The route was from the city hall via Douglas, Fort and Government streets to the government grounds and return, via Government, Yates and Douglas streets. The procession was witnessed by thousands of spectators. Mayor Beaven reviewed the parade at James Bay bridge. The prettiest "mount," decided by a ladies' committee, was that of T. W. Edwards. E. W. Bradley won second prize.

Notes.

In Austin's crew at the last moment, in the club four-oared race, Fred Mallandaine was substituted for B. Wilson, who was unable to row. This crew won.

Hutcheson, stroke in one of the J.B.A.A. senior crews, was badly bruised and knocked clean overboard when the crew was spurting for the finish, by some blockhead in a skiff trying to get across the course. He was struck full in the stomach by his oar and winded. He had a narrow escape.

J.B.A.A. single scull men in both senior and junior races were badly handicapped by having heavier boats than the Mainland men, whose boats were much lighter, about five inches less beam and shell-bottomed.

ROULETTE IN LONDON.

Tables Openly Exhibited in Store Windows.

Concerning the rapid increase in the number of roulette wheels in London, a writer in one of the weekly journals says:—"There are dozens and dozens of aristocratic pleasure-loving society men and women in London to whom gambling at roulette and trente-et-quarante every day seems to be as necessary to their enjoyment as the very air they breathe, and as soon as they return from the Riviera to London they open their tables, leave cards on their friends and the little gambling parties go on every day, either in the afternoon at tea time or after dinner or the theatre at night.

"A few years ago it was a matter of some difficulty to buy in England a little roulette wheel and green American cloth painted with the necessary squares and numbers, but now these wheels can be seen in any number of shop-windows, side by side with toys, and the real tables in miniature are openly shown in two or three well-known furniture shops, and can be bought for moderate sums ranging from £5 to £20, and orders for the 'real thing'—by the real thing I mean those as large as billiard tables—are, I am told, every year increasing in number in London.

"As yet some players have not quite accustomed themselves to Monte Carlo in London, or is it that British hypocrisy overweighs them? I was admiring a handsomely polished and carved oak table in a library, in the centre of which stood an immense bowl of tulips and hyacinths, and around were scattered a few magazines and prettily bound books. 'Oh, that's our new roulette table, and the lid lifts off just around the carved edge. Isn't it a capital contrivance?' said my smiling acquaintance. 'We sold the billiard table and had this made instead, and we find the game so much more amusing than billiards.'".

Apropos of the Royal Betrothal.

The title of Duke of York has always been confined to the Royal family. It was first created by Richard II. in 1385, the first duke being Edmund Langley, fifth son of Edward III. His grandson, Richard, Earl of Cambridge, was beheaded for high treason in the reign of Henry V. The third duke, the head of the faction of the White Rose, avenged his father, and his son succeeded to the throne as Edward IV. Having thus set its mark firmly on the history of England, the duchy remained in abeyance until 1494, when it was conferred on Henry Tudor, second son of Henry VII. By the death of his elder brother the duke succeeded to the throne, becoming, as the history books say, the well-known Henry VIII. In 1605 the second hope of the monarchy again received the title, and, singularly enough, he too succeeded by the premature death of his elder brother. That was Charles I. In accordance with precedent he in turn conferred the title upon his second son; and he in turn succeeded as James II. It seems as if the title of Duke of York were in itself a passport to the throne. But the tradition was broken when George I. gave it to his brother Ernest, Prince-Bishop of Osnaburg. The next duke was made in 1760—Prince Edward, brother of George III., who died seven years later. The next was George III.'s second son, Frederick. This was the somewhat disreputable prince whose effigy may be seen on the monument in Waterloo place. He was commander-in-chief of the army for many years, was at the head of the unlucky Walcheren expedition, and allowed his mistress to sell decorations. He died in 1827, just missing the succession by a year.

THE GUN.

A TEAM MATCH.

Messrs. Dodge and Barlow of Tacoma, and Minor and Fred Maclure of Victoria, are to shoot a team match of fifty birds at Macaulay's point for $50 a side. All four are counted among the best trap shooters on the coast, and the match will therefore be a close one. Mr. Barlow says many sportsmen will be over for the June tournament. They are coming from all points of Oregon, Washington and California. Among the California contingent will be Crittenden, one of the best shots in the state.

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